

## N.H.S. Bids Farewell To Popular Teacher Called To Service

Students And Staff Present Watch To Major D. O. Mungovan, Now With Queen's York Rangers Active

Thirteen years a member of the Newmarket high school teaching staff, D. O. Mungovan has forwarded to the high school board a request for leave of absence to serve king and country.

Major Mungovan, who has been active in the training of the Queen's York Rangers for some years, has received word that his name has been approved as an officer of the active service battalion now being organized.

Major Mungovan, who is now in uniform and last evening was in charge of a recruiting parade of 400 men of the active and reserve battalions through Toronto, was at home today marking examination papers so that he could get "on with the job."

Staff and students presented a military wrist-watch to him in the assembly hall of the school yesterday afternoon. Principal J. B. Bastedo was chairman and Miss Florence Cole of the staff read an address of good wishes. Beryl Rowntree, president of the Literary Society, presented the watch to Major Mungovan.

Joyce Bothwell, secretary of the society, assisted with the presentation arrangements.

Lieut. R. B. Canham of New-



market has also received word that his name has been approved by Ottawa. He took up duties at Aurora armories today.

Acting Sergt. Jack Choppin and Cpl. Ted Hewson are additional Newmarket boys who have been accepted by the active service unit since last week.

## IN THE FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

Doings of those serving their country on land, on the sea, and in the air.

Contributions welcomed for this column—Phone 12.

A cablegram arrived from ACI Robert Brown on Friday announcing his safe arrival in Great Britain. ACI Brown is the son of Cpl. and Mrs. W. H. Brown, R. R. 1, Sutton West.

Arthur Coltham of the R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. James Coltham, will start a pilot's course at the University of Toronto, on Monday.

Radio Officer Kenneth Wesley, son of Rev. and Mrs. T. Wesley, Cobourg, a former student at Pickering College, spent a day in town last week visiting relatives. He has just returned from an extended trip in the north, having spent 42 days in the Arctic, calling at Archangel, Russia, and also being frozen in the ice. They spent Christmas and New Year's on board ship. They visited London, where he spent at least one night in an air-raid shelter. He left this week to rejoin his ship.

Volunteer Helen Brymer spent a 48-hour leave at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. Brymer, Church St., over the weekend, and celebrated her birthday.

Cpl. Fred Evans, son of Councilor and Mrs. Arthur Evans, in a letter last week wrote of having again been down to Brighton on the south coast of England playing hockey for his regiment. He has played in three or four matches and seems to have thoroughly enjoyed it.

Coder Bruce Gould, who is stationed at St. John's, Newfoundland, is home on three weeks leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gould.

Archie Goring, Main St., has joined the R.C.A.F. as a ground man.

Gordon Gardiner, and Jack O'Halloran, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter O'Halloran, have joined the ordnance corps.

Petty Officer Aubrey Seythes of the Royal Canadian Navy is spending two weeks' leave with his wife and family. He is stationed at Halifax.

## MARKET DAY CHANGED

Beginning this Saturday, the market will be held on Saturday mornings instead of Friday afternoons, it has been announced by Councilor Frank Bowser, chairman of the market committee.

## TOWN'S FAME BROADCAST

A picture of Newmarket's V (USSR, USA, US, U) appeared in a recent issue of the Regina Leader-Post. Mrs. C. S. Megill of Oxbow, Sask., writes: "Am mailing a copy of Regina Leader-Post indicating other people's opinion of your town's idea of originality in advertising."

## TEMPERANCEVILLE SUGGEST SIMPLE WAYS OF AIDING WAR EFFORT

Temperanceville farm forums met jointly for the last meeting of this season at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arwood Harman on Monday evening.

About 30 people were in attendance. Four groups were formed for discussion following the broadcast, and were led by Mrs. M. Beynon, Mrs. G. Baldwin, R. Jennings and E. Middleton. Acting as secretaries were C. Beynon, Gertrude Henshaw, Millie Umehara and M. Beynon.

All groups thought that the farm forum broadcasts had been interesting and informative and easy for all to follow and understand. They gave a splendid lead to the discussions and by not coming to too definite conclusions, they left the forums to express their own ideas and form their own conclusions.

Members said. They also brought the forums together at a definite time, so that groups all across Canada could sense the feeling of really studying and working together. One group wanted more ladies on the cast. There were a number of suggestions for the improvement of "Farm Forum Facts," the paper sent weekly to the families belonging to all the forums in Canada.

One group felt that since the municipal doctor system was selected by the majority of the Ontario forums as an action project, the Canadian Association for Adult Education and the Federation of Agriculture should contact people who have not been reached by forums, and not (Page 5, Col. 1)

## IS WITH R.C.A.C.



Dvr. George F. Atkinson, R.C.A.C., has been home on two weeks' furlough. George has been in Red Deer, Alta., for the past two months driving trucks. He was also in Edmonton, Alta., for three months, taking a copper-smith's trade course. He was formerly with the Queen's York Rangers. Dvr. Atkinson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Atkinson, Sharon. Photo by Budd.

## CROWD JAMS HALL FOR VETERANS' PARTY

The eucure and dance put on by the Newmarket Veterans' Association on Friday evening at the town hall, in aid of their comfort fund, was truly the biggest and best yet and wound up a successful season, both financially and from an entertainment standpoint. Two hundred and forty people played eucure.

In the past the Veterans have always had a good crowd at any social event they have put on for their welfare fund or for the Soldiers' Comfort Fund and it was the hope of the committee that the one held on Friday evening would surpass them all. The last eucure party they put on required 43 tables to accommodate the players, but the members figured on a bigger crowd and 50 tables were arranged in the hall to take care of them.

Long before the time advertised the people began to arrive at the hall in a steady stream and it soon became evident that all the tables would be filled, and filled they were, long before 8.30 p.m., and the Veterans had to scurry all over town borrowing extra tables so that all could play. However, they were not long in securing these and by the time the master of ceremonies, Orville Pennock, Toronto, was ready to start the ball rolling, the body of the hall was filled and most of the extra tables placed on the stage and everybody was happy.

Proceedings were opened by the Veterans forming the letter V on the stage and their president, Al. Smith, asked all to stand for the usual two minutes silence for their fallen comrades, while Conrade Wm. White played "Nearer My God to Thee" on the piano. Play then got under way under the able guidance of Mr. Pennock and everything ran smoothly for the players until the last hand was called at 11.30 and an S.O.S. sent out to all the men to clear the floor for dancing.

Harvey Miller and his four-piece orchestra, whose services were donated for this occasion, then kept the dancers busy with all they could keep up with and a real good time was had by all until 1 a.m., when the home waltz and the singing of the national anthem brought the evening's entertainment to a close.

The Newmarket Veterans were grateful for the help given them by the band of patriotic ladies who gave their services, and were grateful to Mr. Pennock, who, besides coming here at his own expense, donated six of the prizes; to the Miller orchestra for their voluntary contribution, and also to the merchants of the town, who donated the rest of the prizes.

The following are the prize-winners: gentlemen's high, Stan. Boyd, score 111; 2nd prize, Norman Lepard, score 105; gentlemen's low hand, W. R. Jones, score 7-73; gentlemen's low, A. E. West, score 63; ladies' high, Mrs. V. Tate, score 128; 2nd prize, Mrs. T. Howlett, score 100; ladies' low hand, Mrs. Frank Burch, score 7-97; ladies' low, Florence E. Boyd, score 65.

The sale of tickets, refreshments and cash taken in at the door amounted to \$110.10. A draw on a rug donated by Mrs. Charles Stuffles and Mrs. Thos. Sanderson amounted to \$22.10, making a grand total of \$132.20.

Another Woman Driver  
A professional, hired by a big department store to give golf lessons, was approached by two women. "Do you wish to learn to play golf, madam?" he asked one.

"Oh, no," she said. "It's my friend who wants to learn. I learned yesterday."

## HOLD CLINIC

The third diphtheria toxoid clinic will be held on Tuesday from four to five o'clock in the afternoon, at Dr. J. H. Wesley's office.

## RAISE MONEY TO BUY RADIOS FOR SCHOOLS

About \$25 was raised on Tuesday evening at a bridge and eucure party held by the Newmarket Home and School Association at the Stuart Scott school. The event was well attended.

Boxes of chocolates were given as prizes and were won by Mrs. H. P. Gilman and Capt. A. H. Woods, for bridge, and by Mrs. Frank Burch (two prizes), and Miss Lois Manning, for eucure.

Refreshments of tea and sandwiches were served at the conclusion of the card-playing.

This was the third event held recently by the Home and School Association to raise money for the purpose of supplying radios for the public schools.

Newmarket public school teachers and some members of the Newmarket Home and School Association will attend the annual Ontario Educational Association convention in Toronto next week, when an O.E.A. committee report will be heard on the question of the place radio should occupy in the schools.

In conjunction with the O.E.A. convention the CBC has announced a one-day conference for Friday of next week in the Eaton auditorium.

"It will give parents and teachers a splendid opportunity of learning of the progress made in introducing radio into the schools of other countries as well as our own," Mrs. J. C. R. Edwards, president of the Home and School Association, told The Era. "One of the principal speakers will be Dr. Lyman Bryson, director of education of the Columbia Broadcasting System."

"Dr. F. S. Rivers, secretary of the Canadian Council on Education for Citizenship, will speak on citizenship. An interesting evening was sponsored by the Newmarket Home and School Association last week when public school children spoke on citizenship in an oratorical contest."

"It is understood that the committee may recommend that the O.E.A. give its support to the CBC in providing next winter further broadcasts in citizen education and that greater efforts be made to supply teachers with advance information about scheduled broadcasts of educational value. We hope that as many members as possible will be able to take advantage of these interesting O.E.A. sessions."

## MAKE DONATIONS TO SOLDIERS' COMFORTS FUND

The Newmarket Veterans' Association soldiers' comfort fund has received donations from the following: Wm. Maines, \$1; Wm. Young, \$2; John O'Connor, \$1; Mrs. E. P. Withrow, Winnipeg, \$1.

Joe Gibney, Gorham St., recently gave a eucure at his home and raised \$10 for the fund. Prizes were won as follows: ladies' high, Mrs. Frank Cowleson and Mrs. John Smith (prize went to Mrs. Cowleson on draw); ladies' consolation, Mrs. L. Wright; gentlemen's high, Harry Brammer; gentlemen's consolation, Kenneth Johns; lucky draw, Mrs. Frank Burch.

## ST. JOHN'S OBSERVES NATIONAL PRAYER DAY

The national day of prayer was observed at the services on Sunday of St. John's Roman Catholic church, when special prayers were offered for king and country. The national anthem was sung at the end of each mass.

At seven o'clock on Sunday evening a special prayer service for king and country was well attended. Services were conducted by the pastor of the church, Dr. W. D. Muckle.

## Coming Events

Insertions under this heading one cent per word per week, minimum charge 25 cents a week. There is no cheaper advertising for any event.

Thursday, April 9—Annual Spring Tea, and sale of homemade baking, under auspices of St. Paul's W.A. in parish hall, from 3 to 6 p.m. Everybody welcome. c3w7

Friday, April 10—Baking sale and afternoon tea under auspices of Friends' church, in store formerly occupied by Lindenbaum Outfitters, from 3 to 6 p.m. c2w0

Friday, April 10—Rover Scouts' eucure and dance at 8 p.m. Part proceeds for Soldiers' Comforts Fund. Prizes. Admission 25 cents.

## Town Proud Of Bill Pipher, Mayor States, "Missing" After Raid

Newmarket Boy Reported Missing After Flight Over Germany, In Service Year And Half, Is 25

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pipher and family, and indeed all Newmarket, anxiously await further news of Sergt.-Pilot William Pipher, reported missing following a bombing raid over Germany last Wednesday.

A cable reached his parents in Newmarket on Friday telling them that he was missing and asking them to send word if they should hear from their son. The cable indicated that the flight from which he didn't return took place on Wednesday, the day of his sister Lelia's wedding to Fred Penrose.

The family expected a cable of congratulation from him for the occasion, but waited in vain for the anticipated message.

"Bill" Pipher, 25 years old, is a Newmarket boy, born and bred. He enlisted in the R.C.A.F. in September, 1940, and after training in western Canada was presented with his wings last July.

On his way to Britain he spent time in Iceland and wrote interestingly of that country in a letter published in The Era. Letters to his parents have indicated that he has been making service flights over the continent for the past five months.

"The town of Newmarket is proud of Bill Pipher," Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales told The Era. "We all hope for early good news of his safety."

"Bill Pipher was a student at



Newmarket high school for five years," said Principal J. B. Bastedo. "He took part of the matriculation course and then changed to the one-year commercial."

"He was a good student and a good boy about the school. He took an active part in the Literary Society and was pianist for a couple of years. He also took an active part in the Glee club. He was a good jumper and was a member of the track and field team."

## Gasoline Rationing Hasn't Slowed Newmarket Down

## FIRST DAY'S BUSINESS IS SMALL WITH SERVICE STATIONS

Rationing of gasoline, effective yesterday, went into force smoothly in Newmarket and district.

"There was no noticeable difference in the amount of traffic," Chief Constable James Sloss told The Era.

"There was no first-day rush for books," H. M. Gladman, issuer of ration books, stated. "We have issued 1,800 books, and may issue another 400. We were short of BIs for a time, and that caused some inconvenience, but we have them now."

"The first customer forgot his ration book, the second didn't have one and couldn't get any gasoline, but the third had his book," said a service station man, Bill White. "As a result of sales of 100 gallons in the last two hours on Tuesday our customers were well supplied and we sold only ten gallons of gasoline yesterday compared with an average 50 or 60 gallons. Everybody filled up Tuesday night."

"Everybody will have plenty of gasoline, I think," one of the younger motorists (A category) told The Era. "I have more than I need. And I think most people have as much as they use ordinarily. I have more than I used last year, but I am going to try to use it all up. I'm earning this year and I can buy gasoline, while I couldn't last year."

## BROTHER DIES IN U.S.A.

Dr. W. D. Muckle, pastor of St. John's Roman Catholic church, was called to Ithaca, N.Y., this week on account of the sudden death of his youngest brother, Leo Muckle, at his home there.

The funeral mass was observed on Wednesday morning at Holy Rosary church, Rochester.

Mr. Muckle was 48 years of age, was in charge of the Farm Bureau for the State of New York, and a member of the staff of Cornell University.

## UNAUTHORIZED PERSON IS SELLING TICKETS

"Anyone selling tickets to raise money for the Newmarket Veterans' soldiers' comfort fund must have authority from the Veterans, and a person who has been attempting to sell tickets to aid a soldiers' comfort fund in Newmarket recently has no such authority," Alex. Macintosh, treasurer of the Newmarket Veterans, stated this week.

## CLOSES GRILL

"Mrs. Carson Pollock has closed Jack's Grill, which she has been operating the past few months, and is returning to her home at Island Grove."

## REEVE'S AUNT DIES

Mrs. Wesley Harvey, Brooklin, sister of Mrs. A. J. Landy, Newmarket, died on Saturday in her 85th year. Mrs. Landy is now the only survivor of a family of nine. Reeve and Mrs. F. A. Landy and Mr. Landy's brother, Harry Landy, of Glidden, Sask., who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. A. J. Landy, attended the funeral service at Brooklin on Tuesday afternoon.

## SUTTON GRASPS FOR INTERMEDIATE TITLE

An intermediate "A" O.H.A. championship for Sutton hangs in the balance. The Greenshirts won the second game of the best-two-out-of-three game championship series against the Fingal Bombers on Tuesday evening at Midland, 7-1, after losing the first game.

Early in the game, after the Bombers had scored the first goal, Sutton showed superior form. Goalie Ginger Hall of Sutton was a standout. Other Sutton stars were Shephstone, Diplock, Gibney, McComb and Harris.

The Greenshirts lost the opening game of the series to the Bombers at Stratford on Friday evening, 4-2.

Going into the last period Bills Pringle of the Greenshirts tied the score 2-2 after 48 seconds of play, but the Bombers came back to drive home two more goals. McComb scored Sutton's first goal.

A "sudden death" game will now decide the winner.

## Don't Do Panic Buying Advise Town Merchants

An unprecedented business boom is being experienced by many of the Newmarket retail stores. One merchant said that business was as good as it ought to be all the time in view of the amount of effort we put into it.

Another said that his March business, usually a poor month, had exceeded any month since he had been in business with the exception of December, 1941.

Merchants stress that there is no occasion for people buying ahead of their needs and that if they just fill their usual requirements as they go along there will be no hardship on anyone.

## TEACHER FATALLY INJURED WHILE ICE-HOATING

Miss Isabelle Pollock, teacher at Allenby public school, Toronto, died in York county hospital last Thursday as the result of a fall when she was thrown while ice-hoating with her fiancé on Lake Wilcox a week ago Sunday.

Miss Pollock suffered a concussion from which she never regained consciousness.

## Church People Unite For Week Of Easter Meditation

## DISTINGUISHED TORONTO CLERGYMAN IS PREACHER FOR WEEK

"I cannot wave a wand over you and make a difference in your life," Rev. Dr. C. W. DeMille, Toronto, told an Easter week union gathering at the Friends church on Tuesday evening. "All I can do is to talk to you about Jesus. We must do the rest for ourselves, in our attitude toward our friends and neighbors and the members of our family."

"When Jesus started his prayer with the words 'Our Father' the word 'father' was the finest word he knew. It was his tribute to his own father Joseph's kindness and love."

Mrs. Leonard Little sang a solo.

Dr. DeMille is giving five addresses in Newmarket this week in five different churches. He speaks tonight in St. Paul's Anglican church and tomorrow at 10.30 a.m. in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church.

Dr. DeMille is the secretary of the Ontario Temperance Federation, but his addresses this week are all on the Easter theme.

## ROVERS PLAN DANCE AND EUCURE NEXT WEEK

To promote their own work and at the same time to make a contribution to the Newmarket Veterans' soldiers' comfort fund, the Newmarket Rover Scouts are putting on a eucure and dance in the town hall next Friday evening.

The Rover Scouts, under Rover Scout Leader B. A. Budd, are a senior Scout organization made up of boys who have gone through the Scout movement and are now beyond Scout age. The Rovers are Robert McElroy, Jack Revill, Wm. Revill, Clarke Hill, Donald McBride, Gordon Cockburn and Donald Brown.

## NAMED ADVISER



Managing director of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association, C. V. Charters of Brampton has been named a technical adviser to the printing and publishing administrator, John Atkins, under the wartime prices and trade board.

## SCHOOL BOARD MEETS

Newmarket public school board under the chairmanship of W. H. Eves holds a regular monthly meeting in the council chambers this evening. The board is expected at an early meeting to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Dr. J. C. R. Edwards.

## LIVED HERE LAST YEAR, BOY DROWNED

A funeral service was held last Thursday afternoon for eight-year-old Donald Albert Jordan, son of Wm. Jordan of Queensville, R.R. 1, who was drowned on Tuesday of last week when he broke through the ice while playing on a pond near Bloomington school (S.S. 12, Whitchurch).

The service was held at the Christian church, Stouffville, with interment in Newmarket cemetery.

Donald was known in Newmarket, as he and his brother, Bruce, 11, for several months last year lived at the home of Rev. and Mrs. L. R. Coupland.

The accident occurred when four children, Bruce and Donald Jordan and two girls, who were playing on frozen-over flood-water during afternoon recess, broke through the ice. Miss Mary Graham, teacher of the school, waded shoulder-deep into the icy water and was able to rescue the two girls and Bruce. About five minutes later the body of Donald was recovered by Arthur Smith, who lives near the school. Attempts were made to revive him, but Dr. S. S. Ball of Stouffville, when he arrived upon the scene, pronounced him dead.

Donald leaves four brothers and sisters, Doris, 13, who boards at Unionville, Bruce, who boards at the home of Herbert Mitchell, Stouffville, R.R. 2, where Donald had also lived, Ruth, 10, and Gladys, 7, who both board in Newmarket.

Bloomington school was closed for a week following the tragedy.

## MINISTER RETURNS

Rev. Jos. A. Koffend of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church returned to his pulpit on Sunday after an absence of some weeks on account of ill health.

## MRS. E. J. DAVIS' BROTHER IS BURIED AT KING

A brother of Mrs. E. J. Davis of Newmarket, James L. Johnston died in Ottawa last week at the age of 65.

Burial was made on Monday in the family plot at King cemetery.

Mr. Johnston was educated at Kinghorn public school. After working for some years at Kinghorn, he moved to Ottawa, where he was in the civil service until his retirement.

It is during this preparation period that the character development of the individual takes place. "Now, too," Dr. Campbell indicates, "it is most important to have developed a healthy mind as well as a healthy, attractive body, both great heritages which are to be handed on to the children." It is during the "adolescent age," between 10 and 16 years in girls and somewhat later in boys, that a profound physical

## Marriage Can Mean HAPPINESS, If - -

(Dr. Campbell, whose ideas are set out in this article reprinted from the London (Ont.) Free Press, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patterson, Newmarket.)

By LESLIE J. WILD

We are born. We are married. We die. The success or failure of two of these events is more or less out of the control of the individual concerned but whether a marriage ends up in the woe of the divorce courts or as a comfort in the twilight of life depends largely upon the attitude of the parties to the contract.

Dr. Margaret K. Campbell, London physician, has given a brief outline of the factors and attitudes which contribute to a successful marriage. She deals with the myriads of questions which puzzle and even trouble the married, the unmarried and those about to be married. "How long should we be engaged?" "What type should I marry?" "Petting." "Should the wife work?" are all questions skillfully handled by Dr. Campbell.

Marriage, Dr. Campbell states, is an adventure embarked upon "for the rest of your days which usually means a great length of time. For the average person it varies between 30 and 60 years, for some as long as 60."

The adventure of marriage does not begin when the last boom of the "Wedding March" has reverberated among the beams of the stately cathedral or when the last "I do" is uttered in the dignified quiet of a private chamber. Marriage "necessitates long deliberate thought and preparation, the period of preparation being some 20-30 years, preferably 23-30 years before we may even have met our mate."

"During this time we will have developed the personality and character which will either help or hinder us in our married life."

It is during this preparation period that the character development of the individual takes place. "Now, too," Dr. Campbell indicates, "it is most important to have developed a healthy mind as well as a healthy, attractive body, both great heritages which are to be handed on to the children." It is during the "adolescent age," between 10 and 16 years in girls and somewhat later in boys, that a profound physical

and spiritual change takes place. They may be very confusing and very upsetting for a while as unguessed intensities of emotion and desire are found within. On the industry and thought which he expends in this direction will depend his economic status in the years to come.

It is for this reason that Dr. Campbell says: "The girl who has worked before marriage is a much better risk than one who has not. A teacher or a skilled office worker is likely to make a good wife, but the boy should shun the girl who has changed jobs frequently."

Dr. Campbell points out that Prof. E. W. Burgess, professor of sociology at the University of Chicago, has made an extensive study into the backgrounds of successfully married couples. As a result of this study she has arrived at the following seven generalizations regarding "ideal mates":

1. A couple are more likely to be happily married if the parents of the bride and groom are happily married.

2. The more they love and respect their parents the more likely they are to be happy in marriage.

3. The chances of successful mating are greater if the couple have brothers and sisters.

4. The most successful mating is that of the oldest child with another oldest.

5. An only or youngest child is a poor risk unless married to an oldest or middle child.

6. The chances of success are greater if the couple are of similar family background.

7. A person is a good risk if he or she attended Sunday-school to the age of 10 or, better still, if he is still attending.

Dr. Campbell explains that modern courtship is somewhat different to the "old-fashioned" affair of 50 years ago. "With the increase in the number of cars and movies the children spend more of their leisure time away from the watchful eyes of their parents. This offers an opportunity for pairing off. When two individuals have dated once or twice, their group may shunt them off toward each other by considering them 'steadies'."

She does not consider this practice wise since rather exclusive relationships, found early, (Page 5, Col. 5)



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### LET'S NOT PROTEST TOO HASTILY

Markham township, Stouffville village and, it is predicted, Whitchurch township are protesting against the Ontario government's proposed revision of assessment legislation. Emphasized provisions are for assessments made by a county board, a county (or "outside") court of revision and collection of taxes by the county.

While these seem like radical proposals, Ontario municipal department officials have an explanation for their recommendations. The county assessment proposal has its origin in the failure of many municipalities to put a fair assessment on industrial property. This throws a heavier burden on other taxpayers and is unfair to other municipalities (also trying to secure or hold industries) which attempt to collect taxes from industry in accordance with the spirit and the letter of the assessment law. Many municipalities, for instance, ignore or do not know the law with regard to fixed assessments.

If there is a county assessment, then there should be a county court of revision, for a local court of revision could annul the work of a county assessor. But what is the reason for county collection of taxes? York county people will find this more difficult to understand than will the people of other counties. In other Ontario counties the practice is for the county to collect tax arrears. Why then, asks the department of municipal affairs, would it not be wiser, if the county is a better collector than the municipality, to give the tax collection job to the county in the first place and keep down the tax arrears? York county municipalities, collecting their own taxes and their own arrears (and the county's taxes), and doing it well, won't see much of advantage in this part of the plan.

The proposed legislation, however well intentioned, deserves the closest study and scrutiny before adoption by the legislature.

### ONE SIDE "STILL" BUT STILL TWO SIDES

Although Canada's three major political parties, looking carefully out upon the troubled seas of public opinion, are advocating a "Yes" answer to the approaching plebiscite, there is yet a still small voice that is not completely satisfied. Insofar as that voice expresses a realistic interpretation of the plebiscite it says that a "Yes" vote is a vote for conscription, insofar as that voice expresses common sense it says that there is no present occasion for conscription and until there is it is unreasonable to ask people to vote for it, insofar as it expresses intellectual doubt it questions whether conscription is nearly as effective a way as voluntary recruiting to build a hard-hitting army, and insofar as it expresses the voice of conscience it queries the ethical basis for one man compelling another to offer his life to protect the former, the former's family or property or his own family or property.

### ARE ALL MEN BROTHERS?

The war with Germany is simple in comparison with the war with Japan. Our historians and our economists could tell us the causes of the war between these various peoples of European origin. They could tell us quite convincingly that the Germanic and French peoples who came to Britain a thousand and more years ago had been able to develop their primitive tribal meetings into the mother of parliaments because of the comparative freedom from invasion which their island home gave them, but that the same peoples who remained behind in what is now Germany and France were never able to develop a comparable democracy. They could tell us that we had made the mistake of thinking in 1919 that someone could win a war and that the losers could pay for it. They could explain to us how the resulting economic distress in Germany had permitted unscrupulous persons to gain power and almost to wipe out German civilization. They could tell us that we had given appeasement in the thirties instead of equality in the twenties, that we had made concessions when we had to make them instead of gifts when we didn't have to make them.

The historians and economists could explain all these things to us. They could tell us that we had now to resort to force to gain a second chance. They could make us feel quite hopeful, that we were pursuing the hard, strait path that would lead to a better world. But we were forgetting for the moment racial problems, the millions of Negro, Indian, Chinese and Japanese people in the world. We were forgetting that after we had settled all our own intra-European quarrels we had still greater problems to solve. We were forgetting for the moment that European peoples, representing but a small proportion of the world's population, had through greater enterprise taken control of the larger share of the earth's surface, North and South America, Europe and part of Asia, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa. Not content with colonizing comparatively uninhabited areas we had invaded and established political or commercial control over parts of the earth which obviously belonged to Asiatic and African races. We were forgetting that, while we could always say to Germans who said that they lacked "living-space" that they were just as welcome in America or Australia or South Africa as Spanish or Portuguese or French or British, we were not prepared to say the same to Asiatics.

But now Japan has opened up this whole question. Japan, fortunately for us, has shown

herself more of an exponent of Japanese interests than of Asiatic interests. Even with her bad record, however, Japan has forced us to reconsider our attitude toward Asiatics. MacArthur has been able to make his stand in the Philippines only because Philippine independence was definitely on the way. Wavell and Alexander would not be able to make a stand in India if Britain were not taking steps now to make Indian independence something real and not too far away.

When we win the war are we going to reconsider our attitude toward Asiatic and African peoples? Are we going to continue to look on them as inferiors? Or are we as North Americans and South Americans and Europeans going to look at them and treat them through our governments, and feel toward them in our hearts, as we now as Christians through our churches and missionary societies theoretically do, as brothers and equals? Is a religion of any value if we do not practise it? Dare we practise it?

## WHAT OTHERS THINK

### VOTE YES

(Fergus News-Record)

The next thing to do is to see that a big majority votes "Yes." There should be no doubt about the result. Prime Minister King has asked for a "Yes" vote, and that should have weight with the Liberals, at least. But that is just a start. The Conservative house leader and others prominent in the party have asked that Conservatives should vote the same way, and lately the C.C.F. leaders have followed suit.

In addition, many organizations have also suggested that Canadians make the vote as nearly unanimous as possible. And in some ridings non-partisan organizations are being formed already to get out the vote.

One would naturally think that with such apparent unanimity in English-speaking Canada, at least, there would be no doubt as to the result. And we don't think there will be much doubt. Yet down in Ottawa recently, we heard that a Conservative member, representing a riding bordering on Wellington, had predicted that his riding would vote "No." It seems impossible, and every effort should be made to see that it is impossible.

It can be frankly admitted that Quebec is likely to give an adverse majority, although if Liberal members of parliament really get to work in their own province, it may not be large. There may be some other parts of Canada (though not whole provinces) which will do the same thing. That is why it is necessary that other parts of the country should roll up as large a vote as possible.

### ANSWERING THE QUESTION

(Port Erie Times-Review)

The plain truth is that, while the plebiscite gives electors the opportunity to vote against conscription, it affords no opportunity to vote in the affirmative for its adoption. A majority vote in the affirmative will do no more than toss the problem back into the lap of the government for future study and decision. While Mr. King has stated already that it is the honest belief of his government that conscription for service overseas will not be necessary before a year from now, his customary caution prompted him to add, "But no one can say how long this war is going to last. No one can say what particular turn it is going to take."

Mr. King has been severely criticized for submitting the conscription issue to a plebiscite. His critics argued that it is the government's duty to decide the matter in the light of all the information at its disposal. However, the seemingly endless speeches in parliament and the innumerable editorials in the press, all failed to prevent the plebiscite from being held next April 27. That being the case, those who contend that it was, and still is, the duty of the government to decide the issue, can vote to put the responsibility back where they believe it belongs by recording their "yes" to the question. If their feeling of resentment against the whole procedure keeps them away from the polls, the majority vote may be "no"—in which case Mr. King might very properly say that the electorate does not want conscription; that it had refused to release him from his pre-election promises and, thereby, prohibited him from putting it into effect. It is doubtful if many people in these parts want that to happen.

### WOULD TAKE AWAY LOCAL AUTONOMY

(Stouffville Tribune)

The splendid showing by the individual municipalities in collection of unpaid taxes should be a good answer to those in authority who are at this very moment planning to take away from the towns, townships and villages of Ontario the right to collect their own taxes. We are amazed that so little comment is found in the weekly press on the recent announcement that a bill is being formulated which is designed to not only take away the collection of taxes, but the right to employ local assessors.

The idea of the bill, as we understand it, is to make the assessment by a county board, and collect taxes through machinery to be set up in the various counties. We have yet to meet any person who favors the idea, but unless the municipalities wake up and take an interest, the bill may slip through the legislature before we wipe the sleep from our eyes.

Passing local authority to higher bodies always brings with it increased costs. In most counties big staffs will have to be set up to handle the business, and it may mean extension to county buildings to take care of the increased employees. The department of municipal affairs is doing a good work in checking up on those municipalities who try to get employees to work for next to nothing, and employing incompetent help. If they continue to ply their effort in this behalf they will receive public applause, but to take away from the municipalities the right to handle their own dollars and make assessments is something few will be in accord with.

### GREEK TRAGEDY

(Orillia Packet and Times)

The Germans are apparently bent on starving the Greek nation to death, in revenge for their heroic defence of their country. Conditions are so appalling that the British government is sending 8,000 tons of wheat to Greece, running the risk that it will be seized by the Nazis. The British wish to feel that, whatever happens, they are in no wise responsible for the tragedy.



### MERRY AND HATTIE FIND MORE SPRING ARRIVALS

BY RUTH DINGMAN HEBB

"I thought we would find some Red-winged Blackbirds if we came over to this spot near the stream," Mrs. Hattie Nuttall said to her friend, Mrs. Merry Chickadee. "There are several of them here, but it looks as if they were all males. The ladies can't have arrived yet."

"I welcomed back a beautiful Bluebird this morning," Merry confided to her friend. "He wouldn't stop and talk to me long though. He seemed shy and he wouldn't accept my invitation to come into the town. He said that there were altogether too many English Sparrows and Starlings there to suit him, and he seems to be the victim of attacks from English Sparrows a good deal, so I didn't urge him. I suppose they are jealous of his gorgeous blue feathers and that's why they pick on him. He's such a gentle fellow, you know."

"There's another Robin!" exclaimed Mrs. Hattie. "They are getting quite plentiful, in spite of the continued cold weather."

"Look over there!" chirped Merry suddenly. "Away over to the right, up high."

"I see a Gull," said Mrs. Nuttall, "and there are some Pigeons over on that roof."

"Oh, I don't mean any of those," Merry said impatiently. "I mean over that marshy ground and coming this way. It's a Hawk! There would have to be someone we didn't want to see, just to spoil our enjoyment of the other birds. The bad come back in the spring with the good, unfortunately."

"It's a Marsh Hawk, so it might be a lot worse from our point of view," Hattie said consolingly. "Look at the way he flaps his wings slowly as he searches for his prey in that damp field. Oh, now he sees a mouse or a frog! He's stopped and now he's making a dive for his victim. Ugh, the poor thing. I wonder what it was."

"They are very fond of mice," said Merry. "Oh, there he goes over to that far fence post to eat it. He's quite a blue-gray in color isn't he? That means that he's an adult male Hawk and a pretty experienced hunter. I

wouldn't want to get too close to him, especially if I were feeling a bit weak."

"Merry, there goes another Hawk, over on the other side of the field," the Nuttall announced excitedly. "This must be the beginning of the Marsh Hawks' spring migration. And it seems to be a bird of a rather gray plumage, too, so it's another mature male Hawk. They come along first, of course. I guess the females and young ones aren't back yet. The young Hawks have a reddish brown plumage."

"I feel a little uneasy with these Hawks so close to us," murmured the Chickadee lady nervously. "The Marsh Hawks don't eat many small birds, and they are friends of the farmers, it's true, because of all the mice and reptiles and insects they eat, but I can't feel friendly to them. They would eat a small bird without a moment's compunction, if they felt hungry. They say that they practically never kill poultry, though, unless perhaps a very small chicken that has wandered away from home."

"Look at the long pointed wings and long narrow tail of that one there," observed Hattie. "They are really quite graceful creatures. All the same, I agree that we should keep at a safe distance. Let's cut over into this next field and see if we can find a Meadowlark. I'd love to see one, or even hear that low, sweet caroling whistle of theirs. As much as any other bird's spring call, it seems to be a symbol of spring, doesn't it?"

"Yes, it's a lovely song, all right," her friend answered. "But I think we're going to find someone else in this field. I'm almost sure I heard that high piercing call of the Killdeer Plover. It was over in this direction. Come on."

"That reminds me, let's go up to the lake one of these fine days and look for any interesting water birds up there," Hattie suggested. "There should be some right now. We ought to find some Ducks, anyway."

"That's a splendid idea," Merry agreed eagerly. "We'll do it soon. Meanwhile, come on over here and talk to that Killdeer I heard."



### 25 YEARS AGO

From Era file March 30, 1917

Walter Collins is making preparations to build another residence on Timothy St. west, as soon as the season opens.

The first bad interruption that we have had in Newmarket since the installation of Metropolitan power, a period of nearly two years, occurred during the thunderstorm last Friday night.

Standard hotels are to be exempt from business tax until 1919, under an amendment to the Ontario Temperance Act.

If the old saying that the weather of March 21 will rule the three months following, is true, then a very fine spring is in store.

A public meeting will be held in the town hall on Wednesday evening, April 4, for the purpose of giving the many friends of Lieut.-Col. T. H. Lennox an opportunity of bidding him farewell before his departure overseas.

Lynan Rose has sold his residence on Park Ave. to Richard Young of Queensville, who takes possession next Monday. Mr. Rose has bought a lot on Arden Ave., just south of Wilbert Cody's house, and will build at once.

The snow has all gone and the roads have dried up wonderfully. BORN—At Queensville, March 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Wright, a daughter.

MARRIED—At the home of the bride's parents, Hillsdale, March 21, Merton Garfield Rutledge of Holt and Sarah Jeanette Crowder of Sharon, Rev. H. B. Luck officiating, assisted by the bride's father, Rev. H. J. Crowder.

MARRIED—At the home of the bride's parents on March 20, by Elder D. Prosser, Mr. George Soules of Newmarket to Miss Ada, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Crone of Sharon.

### 50 YEARS AGO

From Era file, April 1, 1902

Miss Mary Manning is visiting in Aurora this week.

Mrs. J. A. Dates of Michigan spent a few days last week with Mrs. Robert Murray.

Those having sugar bushes are busy this week.

There was a good market here last Saturday and the farmers appeared to be doing more shopping than usual. Butter and eggs were more plentiful but prices were firm, the former running from 17 to 22 cents, and eggs from 10 to 11 cents per dozen.

A meeting of the fire brigade will take place in the fire hall on Wednesday evening. Allan's foundry is getting out one hundred more single plows

than ever before at this season of the year.

MARRIED—On Wednesday, March 23, at the residence of the bride's brother, by the Rev. Jas. Frazer, Wm. Reekie, to Lizzie, eldest daughter of the late Thos. Weir of Georgian.

MARRIED—On Wednesday, March 23, at the residence of the bride's father, Sutton, by the Rev. J. W. Wilkinson, Thomas Atkinson, to Mary, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burch.

MARRIED—At the residence of the bride's father, March 23, by the Rev. Jas. Frazer, Rev. Geo. J. Mackay of Queensville to Evelyn, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Friend Morton of North Gwillimbury.

### KING CITY BRIDE HONORED BY FRIENDS AT KING

A colorful and unique miscellaneous shower of lovely gifts, in honor of her recent marriage, was given for Mrs. Jack Stone, the former Erma Watts of Bolton. The shower was held in the United church Sunday-school room, King City, on the evening of March 19.

White wedding bells flanked a huge umbrella of pink and white, with streamers in matching colors falling to a lace-covered table beneath, which was loaded with bridal gifts. To help with the honors of unwrapping were Miss Marjorie Stone and Miss Lois Crossley, sister and cousin, respectively, of the groom.

A prettily decorated wagon was then drawn in by little Miss Joanne Wilson, who looked quite charming in pink silk taffeta, and proudly presented more gifts to the happy bride, after which the bride and groom responded with thanks and extended an invitation to the many friends and neighbors to visit them in their new home.

During the evening a piano solo was rendered by Miss Ruth Brown, cousin of the groom, and an appropriate reading for the occasion was well delivered by Miss Elizabeth McClure.

An enjoyable evening came to a close with refreshments and coffee.

Mrs. Kelso Crossley of King City is progressing favorably after an acute illness at York county hospital.

### Ansnerfeld

Mr. S. Winter of Hamilton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Winter on Sunday.

Mr. S. Rupke and Mr. J. Van Dyken, both of Hamilton, spent the weekend with their respective families.

Mr. P. Tuistia of Hamilton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. Miedena. On his return he was accompanied by his two young sons, who had been staying with Mr. and Mrs. Miedena for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Van Dyk and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Dyk, in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Van Luyk were grateful to all their friends and relatives for all the sympathy and help extended to them during Mr. Van Luyk's long illness.

### 7TH CON. N. G.

The dance of the "King 30" club, held last week, was a success. Lloyd Kay won the lucky draw on the quilt, which made \$8.05. The dance brought in \$117.70, making a total of \$19.75 for the British War Victims Fund.

Miss Marlene Ley of Friday, Miss Emelene Ley on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Brown attended the wedding of Mrs. Brown's father at Bayview at the home of Mr. W. F. Ford on Saturday.

Mr. Lorne Ham visited at the home of Miss Jean Brown over the weekend.

The buzz-saw is busy these days.

Mrs. E. Miller has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Levi Ley motored to Newmarket on Tuesday.

### Pottageville

The Irish stew supper, which was held on Tuesday last week, was enjoyable. There was a nice turnout and all enjoyed the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Proctor and family motored to Barrie recently to see Mrs. Proctor's mother, who is still in the hospital, although she is improving.

Mrs. Haysler and Mrs. Macdonald, and family, of Toronto, spent a few days recently with their father, Mr. Erickson.

A shower was held at the home of Mrs. Hugh Hamilton for Miss Mary Wilson on Friday evening. She received many lovely presents.

The wedding of Mr. James Morgan and Miss Mary Wilson was held at the home of Miss Wilson's grandmother on Saturday at 3 o'clock. Rev. F. V. Abbott was the minister officiating. Mr. John Wilson and Miss E. Clark were the attendants.

Mrs. Oliver Paton and Mr. Leland Paton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Houghton and daughter, and Misses Rita and Doris Houghton, of Toronto, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Houghton.

## The Common Round

AN EVENING WITH "THE GONDOLIERS"

By Isabel Inghis Colville

There is one evening in the year, when we put away all thought of wars and rumors of war, all worries over the probable shortage of gas, all headaches over the intricacies of income tax forms, and give ourselves over to a wholehearted enjoyment of an evening with those two master magicians—Gilbert and Sullivan.

We have often tried to find just wherein the magic lies—just why they appeal to each succeeding generation and to those who either take part in them or listen to them, never lose their charm—instead, grow more loveable with each repetition.

Five of the seven of us who went to see "The Gondoliers" at Pickering on Saturday evening, had seen nearly every performance put on by the college—two of us had taken part in the operas, years ago, and for two it was their first night.

But the first nighters were as enthusiastic as old timers, and their first night will not be their last. My better half and I felt that in the presentation of "The Gondoliers," the Pickering players had reached a new high. The chorus had gained something that in previous years we missed—a sort of sureness in attack—a gaiety and abandon that made it an inspiring, and better still—a helpful background against which the players could give their best.

And the acting of the principals seemed to have absorbed even more of the true Gilbert and Sullivan spirit, although Mr. and Mrs. Rourke, to us, seem to have materialized right out of a Gilbert and Sullivan tradition into whatever opera they may grace.

It is very far from being every-one who attempts it who can give a true presentation of the

delicious mixture of absurdity and pompousness that characterizes the Duke of Plaza Toro, and like characters—in our estimation it is a rare art.

The two provisional gondolier kings were splendid—their team work was so well timed, voices, especially Alan Sawyer's, excellent, and both WERE gondolieri, not Alan Sawyer and Ward Cornell. In the Gavotte and Bolero they showed real artistry. The Duchess of Plaza Toro was a treat. Her fineness was so delicately perfect, that if one were not familiar with the script, one almost missed some of the best—but no—the delicate sarcasms got over and were enjoyed—thoroughly enjoyed. The Grand Inquisitor was sufficiently creepy in some references to the torture chamber and also gravely ridiculous in his role of settler of who was rightful monarch.

Casilda's voice and appearance were charming—her voice really lovely: one thought her younger in Gilbert and Sullivan than the others.

The special gondolieri and contadine deserve special mention—they were good. And all, whether soloists or chorus, worked together with a smoothness of technique that would not have disgraced a stock company of wide experience and long trouping.

Among other things I'd like to mention our appreciation of those responsible for giving to the public a real musical treat, and also a word of credit to the lads who engineered the flock of cats and made them appear as needed, like rabbits from a hat. As we wished through puddles and slid through slush, we seven all wished we had been sliding and slipping TOWARDS VENICE, instead of toward the world of everyday. Long may these presentations continue.

spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan. Emmerman.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of Springdale spent Saturday evening with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Archibald.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Abraham, Mr. and Mrs. V. Abraham, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Paton, Mr. Everett Paton and Mr. Boyd Paton, all of Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Paton of Aurora spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Elias Paton.

Pte. Walter Erickson of Newmarket camp spent the weekend with his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rose and daughter spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Rose's brother, Mr. Archibald, and Mrs. Archibald.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Emmerman and boys spent Sunday with Mrs. Emmerman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jarvis.

Sgt. Burbridge of Petawawa camp spent a few days with his wife and family recently.

Miss Hattie Cutting was home over the weekend with her mother.

### LEAVE FOR WEST

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## Market Day

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### POLICE COURT BREAK-INS ON SUNDAY CLEARED UP BY POLICE

In order to impress upon her the seriousness of taking what does not belong to her, the charge of stealing was laid against a 19-year-old Newmarket girl who took a ring valued at \$1.75 and a watch valued at \$4.50 while she was visiting the home of Mrs. Rex Barker, Newmarket. The defendant pleaded guilty to the charge in Newmarket police court on Tuesday.

"Your worship, on March 20, I received a complaint from Mrs. Rex Barker that she lost her son's watch and signet ring," Constable Kenneth Mount stated in his evidence. "As a result of information received, I went to the defendant's home. On entering her home I saw a boy's watch on the buffet in the dining-room. I saw the accused. On her finger I saw a ring which looked to me like a boy's ring."

The officer further stated that the girl admitted that the ring belonged to Mrs. Barker and that she had taken it and the watch when she had visited the Barker home on two occasions. He stated that the defendant had told her mother that a soldier friend had given them to her.

Asked by Crown Attorney N. L. Matthews, K.C., if Mrs. Barker had identified the articles, the witness said that she had.

Defense Counsel K. M. R. Stiver, who pleaded for leniency on the girl's behalf, told his worship that the defendant was 16 years of age and that her father had already chastised her for her act.

"I think a charge is the proper way to impress on her that this cannot go on, stated Mr. Stiver. "But I am going to ask that a suspended sentence be given."

"I agree to a suspended sentence, but I also ask that she be placed on probation," stated the crown.

"I am going to ask that a suspended sentence," Magistrate W. E. McIlveen told the girl's behalf, told his worship that brought back on any misdemeanor you will be sentenced not only on the charge with which you are charged but this one as well."

Pleading guilty to a charge of having liquor on his premises when he was "prohibited by an order of the liquor control board of Ontario from having liquor, including beer and wine," in his possession, George Myers, Main St., Newmarket, was fined \$50 and costs of \$15.25.

According to Constable W. E. Martindale, of the York county police, on March 20, in company with Constable Ronald Watt, he searched the premises of the defendant under the authority of a search warrant and found 17 pint bottles of beer in the cellar and one pint bottle of rye whiskey in the pantry. The officer stated that a few people were in the kitchen, which is behind the store, drinking glasses of beer.

Questioned by the crown as to the description of the premises, Constable Martindale stated that Mr. Myers operated a grocery-confectionery store and had his residence upstairs the store.

Defense Counsel Stiver based his plea for leniency on the fact that the defendant was a veteran of the last war.

"This is the first time Mr. Myers has been in court," he stated. "There was no great quantity of liquor in the house. If it was not for the technical order of the board he would not have been charged."

"I assure my friend that it isn't a technical order," objected the crown. "It was put on at the request of the police. It was made to prevent liquor being kept in this house. I think there should be a penalty of at least \$100."

The crown further stated that the offence was more serious than having liquor in a car, as the defendant's residence adjoined a store, and also that the premises were on the Interdicted list.

"I'm perhaps at a disadvantage in not knowing the history of these people here (in Newmarket)," commented the crown. "But it is a sure thing that you had no business having liquor. There must have been some reason when a man is prohibited from having liquor on his premises. You are charged the charge. I am going to take into consideration that you are a returned soldier. I am fining you \$50 and costs. I am also going to declare your place a public place for one year. Do you know what that means?" The defendant replied that he did.

"If you come back here you go to jail for three months automatically," stated his worship.

Magistrate McIlveen fined John A. MacKey, Sudbury, \$10 and costs of \$4 or ten days in jail, on a charge of illegal possession.

Provincial Constable Alex Ferguson, who laid the charge, testified that on March 13 he came across the defendant standing alongside his car, which was parked on Yonge St. highway, consuming liquor. The officer stated that Mr. MacKey appeared quite sober at the time.

Because he attempted to pass another car going in the same direction at a time when the highway was not clear of approaching traffic, Max Smith, Toronto, was fined \$5 and costs.

At the moment, "As for the liquor," he stated, "the uncle came up and said that he had injured his knee. Somebody came in and had given him some liquor."

Magistrate McIlveen pointed out to the young woman the seriousness of her act, and that the penalty ran from six months to two years in jail. He stated that there had been no need for her to try to destroy the evidence, for had the uncle appeared in court to answer a charge of illegal possession, the charge would have been dismissed, had he given his reason for having the liquor.

Pleading guilty to a charge of breaking and entering the Newmarket arena, three young soldiers of the Newmarket military camp, Jack R. Garner, John Lowe and Herbert Gibson, were each convicted and remanded for sentence in custody of the military authorities for one week.

Stanley Smith, Newmarket, manager of the arena, testified that on Sunday afternoon, March 29, his daughter noticed that the arena had been broken into. He stated that the police had been called and found that the door of the refreshment booth inside of the building had been broken and about 125 to 200 chocolate bars stolen. Entrance, he said, had been gained through one of the chutes used for the disposal of snow from the ice surface of the arena.

Chief Constable James Sloss said he had investigated the break-in and found that the panel of the booth door had been broken in. He said that he questioned the accused at the military camp in the presence of Sergeant Homan of the military police and received statements from the defendants.

Two of the soldiers, John Lowe and Herbert Gibson, also pleaded guilty to a second charge of breaking and entering. On this count they were charged with breaking and entering the premises of E. H. Adams on Main St., and stealing cigarettes and lighters valued at about \$25. On this charge the defendants were also remanded in the custody of the military authorities for one week, at the end of which time they will be sentenced.

Edward H. Adams, who is the proprietor of a barber-shop and pool-room, told his worship that he first knew of his place of business being broken into when police telephoned him March 30. He said that admittance had been gained through a coal chute at the rear of the building. The defendants had then come upstairs and pilfered the billiard-room door off.

Constable Sloss testified that he had questioned the defendants at the military camp and they had admitted breaking and entering the barber-shop. He stated that the military authorities had been very helpful in aiding him to locate the culprits.

Charged with receiving stolen goods, E. L. Smith, Newmarket military camp, pleaded not guilty to the charge. The case was adjourned for one week.

### NEW R.C.A.F. EPIC FILM COMES TO ROYAL

James Cagney takes off in his greatest role in "Captains of the Clouds," which opens at the Royal Theatre, Aurora, on Monday. In a career which has been studied with brilliant performances, his role as the daredevil flier in the new motion picture is one of the most vital and enthralling entertainments the screen has provided in many years.

A large and able cast supports Cagney in the film. There is Donald Morgan, handsome and while young, leading man, who more than fulfills the prophetic made for his success after his fine performance in "Kitty Foyle."

Brenda Marshall, whose flashing brunette beauty is fully revealed for the first time by the use of color cameras, is completely believable as a flirtatious and vixenish French-Canadian girl who plays havoc with the hearts of the fighting pilots. Alan Hale, George Fennell and Reginald Gardiner, Irish, Canadian and English fliers, respectively, each turn in memorable performances.

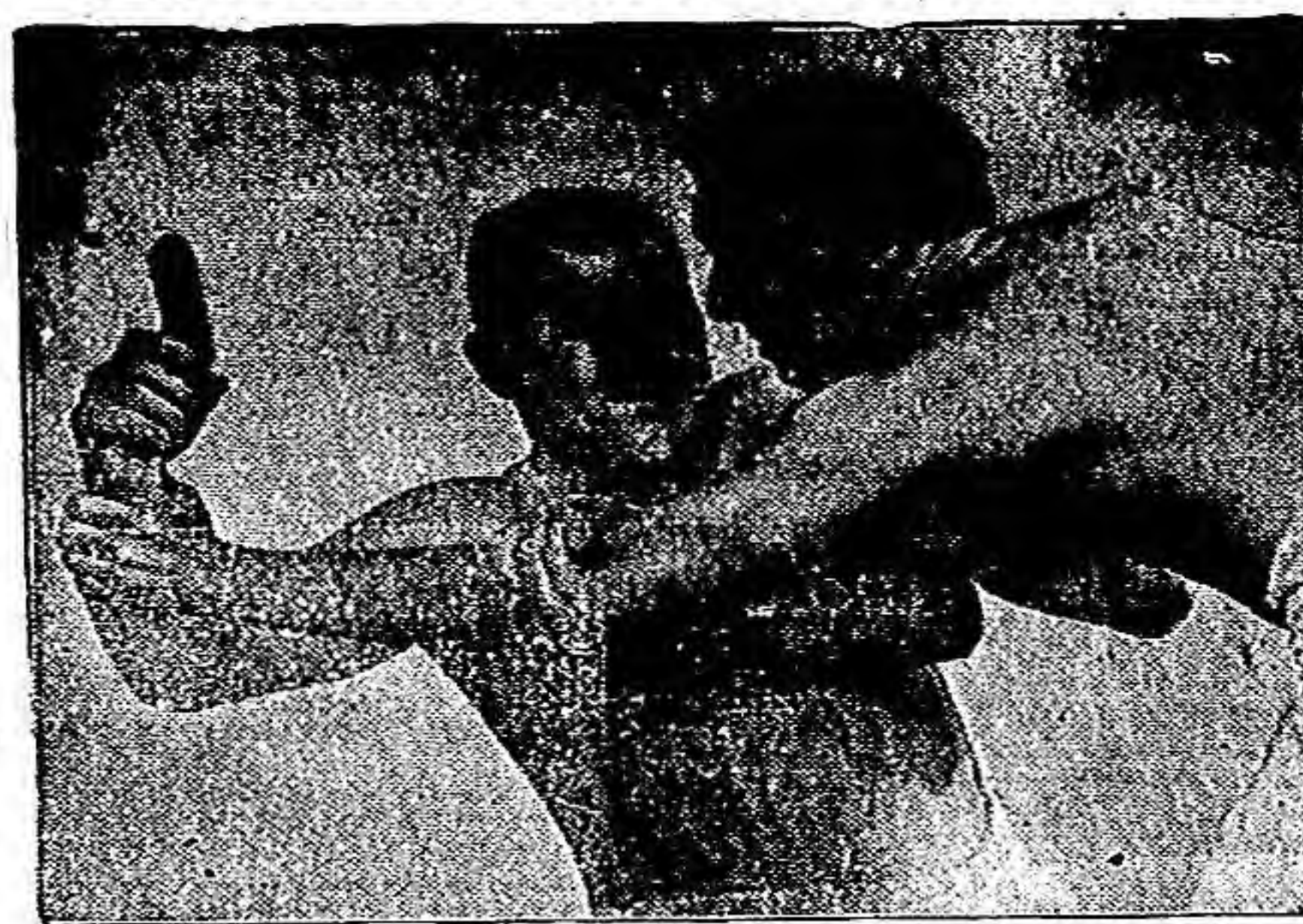
The story of "Captains of the Clouds" deals with a group of pilots who make a difficult and dangerous living picking up freight and passenger jobs in Canada's northern woods and lake country. Immured in their own romantic, unworldly, unbusinesslike problems, they pay little heed to the war until one day they hear Winston Churchill's "We shall never surrender" speech. With one accord they go to the nearest airfield to enlist. They are somewhat chagrined to learn that they are considered too old to be fighting pilots, that the air force can use them only as teachers. Used to being "by the post" by the military, they find the rules and regulations trying, and Cagney, a rugged individualist, is finally put out of the service because his disregard of rules causes a near-collision.

Several farmers have tapped their maple trees and report a good run of sap this year.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. S. Moreweather (nee Irene Pyle) who were married in Newmarket last Thursday.

Mr. Wm. Grindell of Toronto spent Sunday at his country

### GESTAPO AGENT FIGHTS TO FINISH WITH AVIATOR



A dramatic episode in the romantic adventure film of occupied France, "Joan of Paris," coming to the Strand on Monday, is the fight to the finish of a Gestapo agent and a Free French aviator, which takes place in a steam-fitted room. Shown above are Alexander Granach, as the agent (with gun) and Paul Henreid, who is co-starred with Michele Morgan in the film's romantic roles.

by Arthur T. Horman and Roland Gillett. Max Steiner's symphonic musical score forms a brilliant background.

### BOGARTTOWN PRESENTATION MADE TO OSTLEY FAMILY

Mrs. R. Wroggill of Sharon, a former resident of this vicinity, is in York county hospital undergoing treatment.

There still seems to be life in the fall wheat, although it does not look too strong. The wheat had a hard winter of successive freezing and thawing. If the weatherman does not deal kindly with it through April there is a possibility that a lot of it will be killed out in this district.

It is suggested to the Newmarket town fathers that it would be really nice to have a little better lighting system on their parking lots. It might help to dispel some of that lonesome feeling when the country people come in and leave their cars while they go to purchase the wares the town merchant has to offer, and it would help to eliminate some of the epidemic of fire and gas thieving which has been rampant.

The local male quartet, consisting of G. W. Williams, H. West, L. Carr and G. F. Williams, paid Vandorf Sunday-school a visit on Sunday and favored them with some good vocal music, which was much appreciated.

Mr. H. Ostley, who has been in York county hospital for some time, has recovered sufficiently to be able to sit up for a while each day. Mrs. Ostley has been busy getting their effects moved to Newmarket, where they will reside in future.

Last Wednesday evening Mrs. G. F. Williams and Mrs. L. E. Ewart called on Mrs. Ostley and presented her with an electric table lamp and an address on behalf of the community. Owing to Mrs. Ostley's illness it was not thought wise to hold a social evening to include the whole vicinity.

The occasion was also their 30th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Ostley have spent their entire married life on the farm they are now leaving.

The address expressed regret at the departure of Mr. and Mrs. Ostley. It included the following: "We understand you have lived in this community ever since you began your married life and have proved to be model farmers. Your home has been a place to be proud of and an inspiration to us all. You have always been willing to lend a helping hand to the community affairs and we shall miss you."

Oscar Buckle of the Aurora district has purchased the Ostley property and is moving in. Neighbors welcome him and his bride to the community.

The friends of Mrs. A. Flin-toff are pleased to have her home from the hospital in Toronto, much improved in health.

### Pine Orchard

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reid entertained on Thursday evening in aid of the Pine Orchard soldiers' box fund.

The Women's Institute held a quilting at the home of Mrs. B. Dike on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Albert Fogal was calling on friends last Wednesday afternoon.

Wm. Bosworth of Windsor visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bosworth, Sr., last week.

School closed on Thursday for the Easter holidays.

The club will meet at the school on Thursday night, April 2. The boys have charge of the program and a treat is in store for all.

Mr. John Palmateer attended the Maple Leafs-Rangers hockey game in Toronto on Saturday night.

Mrs. R. Chapman spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnston.

### KETTLEBY PILOT FROM KETTLEBY REACHES ENGLAND

A cable arrived on Tuesday telling of the safe arrival in England of Sgt.-Pilot Robert Burton of the R.C.A.F.

Miss Laura Baker spent the weekend with her friend, Miss Eileen Ferguson, at Schomberg. Mr. and Mrs. K. Boatwin of Long Branch were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilson.

Mr. Ed. Morris is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Keffer of New Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Clarkson and family are moving to their new home at King this week.

Mrs. A. J. Hambleton, at the time of writing, is confined to her bed and under the doctor's care.

Mrs. W. Hindle of Cookstown spent a couple of days this week with her mother, Mrs. Thos. Greensides.

An enjoyable evening was spent by the Y.P.U. last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Sabin. The devotional period was in the charge of the president, Harry Burns.

### Glenville

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Burnett spent Sunday at Belleville. Cpl. Stan. Humphries of Camp Borden spent a few days this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sharpe.

Mr. and Mrs. James Keffer and family of New Toronto spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Keffer.

Calvin Y.P.U. will hold their opening meeting on Tuesday evening, after having been closed for the winter months.

Mrs. Wm. Tison and granddaughter of Bradford and Miss Eva Lyons of Newmarket spent Friday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Anning.

The dance held at the Glenville school on Friday evening was well attended. The proceeds were forwarded to the British War Victims' Fund.

The Ladies' Aid meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Joseph Webster last Wednesday afternoon with a good attendance. A quilt was finished.

Happy Easter to all!

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Allen and Miss Abeta Wildfield attended a shower for Miss Verna Harrison on Saturday evening at Mount Albert.

Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. John Reid were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Reid of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown of Toronto and Mr. Herb. Reid of Oshawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Eveleigh and Bruce of Aurora visited Mr. and Mrs. Randall Chapman on Sunday.

There was a good crowd out at the Union church on Sunday to welcome back Rev. J. A. Koffend after a vacation in Florida.

The Easter service will be held at 3:45 p.m. Mr. Koffend will speak on the subject: "This is Victory."

The young people of the Church of Christ are to meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ford Lehman on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Mr. McKelvie of Toronto is to speak at the Church of Christ on Easter Sunday at 11 a.m. and at 7:30 p.m.

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### TORONTO MARKETS

Prices on the Toronto markets on Tuesday for butter, creamery solids, No. 1, were 35¢ cents a pound and creamery prints, first grade, were quoted to retail trade at 36¢ cents a pound.

Country dealers were quoted on graded eggs, cases free, delivered to Toronto, for grade A, large, 30 to 30½ cents a dozen; A medium, 29 to 29½ cents a dozen; A pullets, 27 cents.

Nominal prices to the shipper for poultry were: spring broilers, 1¼ to 1½ pounds, 22 to 25 cents a pound; young chickens, under 5 pounds, 22 cents; fatted hens, 5 pounds and over, 22 to 23 cents a pound.

Weighty steers traded at \$9.75 to \$11; butcher steers at \$9.25 to \$10.75; heifers at \$9 to \$10.25. Fed calves sold at \$14 to \$15 for choice, with common to medium grades bringing \$7 to \$13.

Spring lambs sold at \$11 to \$13. Hogs sold at \$15.10 to \$15.15 dressed weight and sows at \$10.75 to \$11.

### LOCAL MARKET

Eggs brought 27 to 30 cents a dozen on the local market on Friday afternoon. Butter sold at 38 cents a pound.

Young chickens were 30 cents a pound; Carrots sold at 25 cents a basket.

### ATTENDS W.C.T.U. TEA

Miss L. Toole attended a tea at the home of Mrs. Williams, Howard Park church parsonage, Toronto, on Friday, on the occasion of the 30th anniversary of Howard Park W.C.T.U.

The Canadian W.C.T.U. have pledged themselves to build and furnish a Christian "home centre" at Petawawa as soon as the necessary amount is received. The entire proceeds of this tea were given for this cause. If any W.C.T.U. could give any contributions, it would be gladly received by the committee secretary, Miss A. E. Giles, Athens, Ont.

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## FIVE WINNERS OF THIS WEEK'S CONTEST GET DOUBLE PASSES FOR "49TH PARALLEL"

The five winners of last week's classified ad contest, drawn from 51 puzzlers who sent in perfect answers, are as follows: Mrs. George Casey, Newmarket; Fred Dillman, Newmarket; Miss Winnie Lee, Newmarket; and Mrs. Leslie McKnight, R.R. 3, Newmarket. Winners were drawn by Mrs. W. J. McCappin of the Hillside Dairy.

Several other contestants had mistakes in their answers or their answers arrived after 9.30 o'clock on Tuesday morning.

These winners receive double passes to the Strand theatre for next week for Tuesday evening to see the exciting story of occupied France "Joan of Paris," plus George Sanders and Wendy Barrie in "Date with the Falcon," or for Thursday, to see "Ships with Wings," plus "Melody Lane." They may pick up

their passes any evening at the theatre.

### THIS WEEK'S CONTEST

Five winners of this week's contest will receive double passes to the Strand for either Tuesday, April 14, to see the unusual and thrilling new film, "49th Parallel," starring Raymond Massey, Laurence Olivier and Leslie Howard, or for Thursday, April 16, to see "Whistling in the Dark," starring Red Skelton and Ann Rutherford, and "What's Cookin'" starring the Andrews Sisters, Jane Frazee and Robert Paige.

This week the ten words, all of which occur in the classified ad columns, have all the g's left out. Here are the ten words: TREON-ENIA, SLIABUET, FNIDLO, AL-SVAE, KINHECC, SKUEHEPEI-NOE, ROLFAMT, NEENIAMT, ASTOOTEP, MITLOENMEYF.

## WANT-ADS

The rate for Want Ads is 25 cents for 25 words for one insertion; 40 cents for two insertions; 50 cents for three insertions. For over 25 words, each additional word, one insertion, one cent, additional insertions, one-half cent per insertion.

### REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

For sale—On Mark Ave., Aurora, Ont. Lots 9, 10, 11, 12. Apply 134 Arden, Ave., St. Vital, Manitoba. \*3w3

For sale—Frame house, all conveniences. Apply B. Jackson, Bolton Ave. \*3w7

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### FOR RENT

For rent—Apartment. Suitable for two adults. Heated. Private bath. All conveniences. Centrally located. Apply Mrs. Fred Brown, Aurora, Phone 104. \*1w3

For rent—Store at 64 Main St. Possession April 1. Apply K. M. R. Silver, Newmarket. (14)

### WANTED TO RENT

Wanted to rent—By officer and wife, a furnished apartment or housekeeping rooms. Write Era box 534. \*1w3

Wanted to rent—3 or 4 rooms or more house in Newmarket. Reasonable. By one adult. Write Era box 533. \*1w3

### BOARD WANTED

Room and board wanted—Gentleman wants room and board. Contact. Write Era box 530. \*1w3

### BOARDERS WANTED

Boarders wanted—Furnished rooms. With suit lady or married couple. Board if desired. Apply Era box 535. \*1w3

### FOR SALE

For sale—One 300-gallon tank. Mounted on platform. Enquire Archie Murray, Hotel Aurora, Aurora, Ont. \*1w3

For sale—Piano. In good condition. Reasonable. Phone Newmarket 480, or enquire 7 Raglan St. \*1w3

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### WANTED TO BUY

Wanted to buy—Good used folding gram. Modern. Reasonable. Phone Newmarket 557. \*1w3

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### HELP WANTED

Help wanted—Girl for domestic work. No cooking. Sleep in. Apply 72 Bataford St., or phone 140, Newmarket. \*1w3

Help wanted—Man for part-time work. Salvage collection. Phone 225. \*1w3

Help wanted—Middle-aged woman or girl for domestic work. Household employment. Apply phone box 25, Newmarket. \*2w3

## SALE REGISTER

Saturday, April 4—Auction sale of household effects, etc., the property of S. J. Doane, Sharon. Terms cash. Sale at 2 p.m. R. L. Smith, clerk. J. F. Kavanagh, auctioneer. \*2w3

Saturday, April 4—Auction sale of Clydes horses, registered dual purpose Shorthorn cattle, registered Yorkshire hogs, implements, hay, etc., the property of Arwood Harman at lot 71, rear con. 1, township of King, 1 mile west of CFB towers. Terms cash. Sale at 12 o'clock sharp. No reserve, farm rented. C. E. Walkington, auctioneer. \*1w3

Wednesday, April 8—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, furniture, etc., the property of Freeman E. Gilroy, lot 22, con. 7, North Gwillimbury, 1/4 mile southwest of township of King, 1 p.m. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. Terms cash. No reserve as owner is ill in health. Farm, 160 acres, for sale or rent. \*2w3

### BIRTHS

Draper—At Sarnia General hospital, March 31, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Draper of Sarnia (formerly of Mount Albert), a son, Perry Wayne.

Farren—At York county hospital, March 28, to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Farren, Aurora, a daughter.

Hodge—At the Women's College hospital, Toronto, March 27, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hodge, Newmarket, a son.

Johnson—At York county hospital, March 31, to Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Johnson, Newmarket, a son (stillborn).

### DEATHS

Bolender—At the Briarhill hospital, Stouffville, on Sunday, Thomas Murray Bolender of Bethesda, in his 45th year.

The funeral was held from the residence of his sister, Mrs. B. Preston, Bethesda, on Tuesday, and at Bethesda church. Interment Dickson Hill cemetery.

Cook—At York county hospital, Wednesday, April 1, Lena M. Cook, mother of Francis, Marion, Barbara, James and Bobbs, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Palmer of Aurora.

Resting at her late residence, Harrison Ave., Aurora, until 1 p.m., Friday, thence to Aurora United church for service at 2.30 p.m. Interment Aurora cemetery.

Gibson—Suddenly, on Sunday, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Toronto, Catherine (Katie) Gibson, sister of the late Mrs. William Russell, Mother M. Blandina, Loretto Abbey, Toronto, and James Gibson.

The funeral service was held on Wednesday, Interment St. John's Roman Catholic cemetery, Newmarket.

Haight—At the Kitchener and Waterloo hospital, on Wednesday, April 1, James C. Haight, barrister, brother of Charles H. Haight, Toronto.

Funeral service at the residence, 20 Yonge St. W., Waterloo, on Saturday, April 4, at 1.30 p.m. Interment in Newmarket about 4 p.m.

Hamilton—At Ravenshoe, on Saturday, March 28, George Albert Hamilton, husband of Sadie Lowrie, father of Mrs. Thomas H. (Ruby) Johnson, in his 68th year.

The funeral service was held at his home on Tuesday afternoon, Interment Queen's Valley cemetery.

Muckle—Suddenly at his home, Ithaca, N.Y., Leo Muckle, youngest of six brothers. Rev. Joseph T. Muckle, C.S.B., St. Michael's College, Toronto; Rev. Dr. W. D. Muckle, Newmarket; Rev. John and Rev. Charles Muckle, Rochester, N.Y.; Andrew, Stanley, N.Y., and besides his wife, Marguerite, he also leaves three sisters, the eldest being Sister Mary Charles, of Rochester; and his father, who lives at Stanley, N.Y.

The funeral mass was held on Wednesday morning at Holy Rosary church, Rochester, N.Y.

Pollack—Suddenly at York county hospital, Newmarket, resulting from an accident, on Thursday, March 26, Isabelle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pollack, of Walkerton, teacher at Allenby school, Toronto.

The funeral service was held on Sunday afternoon from her late residence.

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Good Friday  
12 noon—3 p.m.—Three Hours Devotion

Easter Day  
8 a.m.—Holy Communion  
11 a.m.—Shortened Morning Prayer and Holy Communion.  
Sermon subject: "EASTER 1942."

3 p.m.—Children's Service.  
7 p.m.—Evangelism.  
Sermon subject: "THE VINDICATION OF CHRIST."

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11 a.m.—Morning worship

7 p.m.—Gospel service.

Rev. Edward Erickson, Norwegian evangelist, will preach at both services. Special music. Don't fail to hear this interesting speaker. See advertisement for further information.

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Good Friday—2 to 3 o'clock

Dr. Runnells will preach. Subject: "Crucifixion."

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## Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. George Rae, Zephyr, Ontario, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lorna, to Wm. R. Draper, Keswick, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Draper. The marriage to take place April 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Keffer of Glenville wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Myrtle Laurence, to Wm. Marthi Swedick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Swedick of East Gwillimbury, the marriage to take place April 18.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mr. Wm. Jordan and children wish to thank their many friends and relatives for many acts of kindness, love, flowers and expressions of sympathy during the recent bereavement (Donald Albert Jordan).

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our neighbors, relatives and friends for their acts of kindness and messages of sympathy and floral tributes extended to us during our recent sad bereavement in the death of a loving wife and mother. James Morton and family.

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Specifications, information to bidders, tender forms may be obtained from the undersigned on and after Friday, March 27, 1942. The lowest, or any tender not necessarily accepted.

L. J. Farr, Bd. Supt., Sharon, Ont. \*2w3

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM HISENTHROUGH, RETIRED FARMER, DECEASED.

All persons having claims against the Estate of the above deceased, who died at the Village of Mount Albert, on the 23rd day of February, 1942, are hereby notified to send to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of April, 1942, full particulars of their claims. Immediately after the 15th day of April, 1942, the assets of the deceased will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which the undersigned shall then have notice.

Dated at Uxbridge, Ont., this 17th day of March, 1942.

Harris, Harris & Wallace, solicitors for the executors, Uxbridge, Ont.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. and Mrs. D. Marrow and young son, of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Evans on Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Keats of Toronto spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Keats.

—Mrs. Garnet Webster returned from a week's visit with cousins in Oshawa one day recently and left the next day for Windsor, on account of the sudden death of a relative there. She expects to be home for Easter.

—Mr. P. W. Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Sturdy, Peter and Marilyn, of Preston, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Brooks.

—Mr. Albert Fogal of St. Thomas spent several days last week visiting his sisters, Mrs. Ronald Neilly of Newmarket and Mrs. Arthur Scott of Vancor.

—Mrs. Allan Jones and baby son, Lawrence, of Toronto, spent last weekend visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Johns.

—Mrs. R. A. Hodgson of South River spent a few days recently at the home of Mrs. E. C. Johnson, Huron St.

—Mrs. A. R. MacKenzie, who has spent the winter with Mrs. J. H. Proctor, left this week for her home at Queensville.

—Mrs. James McBride has gone to Owen Sound to visit her mother, Mrs. Thain Wilson, who is seriously ill.

—Mrs. E. P. Withrow of Winnipeg, mother of Cpl. Jack With-

row, formerly of Newmarket and Aurora, now overseas, spent last week in Newmarket visiting her sister, Mrs. B. W. Hunter.

—Mrs. and Mr. Pearcey Thomas of Oba will spend the Easter weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hart.

—Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Wright and little daughter, Peggy, of Sudbury, spent a couple of days last week with Mrs. Wright's mother, Mrs. R. Pollock.

—Misses Ruby and Bessie Carruthers of Toronto spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Carruthers.

—Mrs. D. Welburn and son, Mr. Arthur Coltham, and Miss Ann Davidson of Toronto, spent the weekend the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Coltham.

—Mrs. and Mrs. Richard Fraser and Mr. and Mrs. William Fraser of Toronto spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Fraser.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Franklin of Islington will spend Easter weekend with Capt. and Mrs. A. H. Woods.

—Mrs. N. L. Mathews, Mrs. J. E. Morris, Mrs. F. H. Robinson and Miss C. Smith attended a rally of the captains of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind tag day at Lady Kemp's home, Toronto, last Friday afternoon.

—Mr. C. M. Carter, who has been ill with pneumonia, is able to be out again.

—Mrs. Wm. Carson of King City was visiting her mother, Mrs. Robt. Graves, this week.

## LILLIAN BENNETT WEDS C. A. ST. JOHN

The marriage took place quietly on Saturday of Lillian Adelaide Bennett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman F. Bennett, Newmarket, to Clarence A. St. John, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. St. John, Aurora. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. R. White, at his home in Aurora.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a rose sheer frock with black accessories and a corsage of tulipian roses. Her attendant, Miss Mary G. Osborne of Toronto, wore a rose sheer frock with brown accessories and sweetheart roses.

Mr. Roy Bennett, of Newmarket, brother of the bride, was best man.

Following a short wedding trip they will reside on Edward St., Aurora.

### SELS FARM

James E. Morton has sold his 90-acre farm on Second St. north to a Toronto purchaser.

## In Memoriam

Adams—In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Evelyn Adams, who passed away on March 29, 1939.

No one knows how much we miss you.

No one knows the bitter pain we have suffered. Since we lost you.

Life has never been the same. In our hearts your memory lingers. Sweetly tender, fond and true. There is not a day, dear mother, that we do not think of you.

Lovingly remembered by husband and family.

Adams—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Elwood Barradell, who left this earth on March 30, 1939.

The depths of sorrow we cannot tell.

Of the loss of one we loved so well.

And while she sleeps a peaceful sleep.

Her memory we shall always keep.

Lovingly remembered by daughter and son-in-law, Pte. and Mrs. T. Wadsworth, and grandchildren.

Barradell—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Elwood Barradell, who left this earth on March 30, 1939.

Reminds his grave we often stand.

With hearts both crushed and sore.

But in the gloom the sweet words come.

"Not lost but gone before."

God knows how much we miss him.

He counts the tears we shed.

And whispers, "He only sleeps. Your loved one is not dead."

We will be with you, dear father, And pray to God each day.

And when he calls us home to you, Your smile will guide the way.

Ever remembered by his wife and family.

## FLOYD FARREN WEDS TORONTO GIRL

On March 21, in Danforth Ave. Baptist church, Toronto, the marriage was solemnized of Helen Evelyn, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Murrell, Toronto, and Mr. Floyd Edwin Farren, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Farren, Newmarket.

Rev. J. H. Olmstead of Windsor, uncle of the bride, and Rev. Dr. F. L. Orchard officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a powder blue chiffon gown with matching Mary Queen of Scots halo and shoulder-length veil, and carried a shower bouquet of Briarcliff roses.

Mrs. L. Beckett, matron of honor, and Miss Ruth Potts, bridesmaid, were gowned alike in dusky rose chiffon with matching halos and veils.

Pte. Fred Murrell, R.C.E., was best man, and J. B. Ennis of Newmarket and M. B. Murrell were ushers.

At a reception following the ceremony, Mrs. Murrell received the guests wearing a soldier blue crepe dress with navy accessories and a corsage of Bettier roses.

Mrs. Farren, mother of the groom, assisted, wearing an airy blue dress with black accessories and a corsage of Premier roses.

After a trip to western Ontario, the couple will reside in Toronto.

### TAKES NEW HOME

Mrs. Rena Hamilton has moved from 33 Millard Ave. to the corner of Millard and Raglan Sts., to the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Graves, who have moved from Newmarket.

### IS BURIED HERE

Mrs. Stephen Ross Hughson of Toronto, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wm. Tomlinson of Baldwin, who died on March 20 in Toronto, was buried on Monday of last week in Newmarket cemetery.

She leaves her husband, whose parents were former residents of Newmarket, and three children, Donald, Bruce and Anne.

### FOR SALE

Modern and antique furniture. All in good condition.



# The Common Round

EASTER

By Isabel Inglis Colville

The thought of Easter comes like a spring of refreshment and healing in the midst of wars and tumults, while, to paraphrase Kipling, the tumult and the shouting do NOT die, and the captains and kings are locked in deadly combat.

Two thousand years ago the Holy Land presented a picture, though not quite so sordid, which might hang in the gallery of conquered peoples.

Underneath the surface movement of fairly orderly living, a boiling cauldron of hatred seethed; fed by every tyrannical art of the Roman conquerors and fanned by the fanatical resolve of priests and people to avenge themselves.

And adding another discordant note to the weird hymn of hate was the fight the Scribes and Pharisees were waging against the young Prophet of Nazareth, who, they feared, would draw the allegiance of the people from them, and cast them from the high places.

But now they had egged Pilate on, against his sense of justice, to pronounce the death sentence on Jesus of Nazareth, and three days before the Passover He was crucified and entombed.

The fickle multitude, forgetting His miracles, His deeds of kindness and words of loving-kindness, derided Him as He hung on the cross, and His disciples felt they had been cheated—this, in spite of the fact that Jesus had told them all the things he must suffer.

But—then came the first day of the week—all round Jerusalem on that glorious morning, when the sights and sounds of spring—of new life—resurrection.

Never had the song of the birds sounded so sweetly—and one recalls the legend of the little bird that tried to pluck the crown of thorns from the Saviour's brow, till its little breast was stained with blood, and one can feel it was singing at the tomb, sensing before human slowness could, the coming forth of the Lord.

The roses and lilies of the Holy Land, just coming into bloom, would lay a gorgeous carpet for their Creator to tread.

All things—even the material—were living anew with the

newly risen Christ. We have no way, save by imagination, of knowing what the emotions of his forgiven followers, or the dismay and dread of his enemies must have been.

But, from the rising of our Lord to now, there has been a rising—an uplift—in the hearts of those who try, however feebly, to follow the Cross.

The leaven of the Sermon on the Mount keeps rising up through the sordidness of unbelief, of hatred, of oppression and evil—it has, indeed, a way of bringing good out of evil.

Those who have, in any land or for any creed, been persecuted for their beliefs, if they can stand the ordeal, come out of it with new strength and clearness of vision and their leaven has been known to raise a great lump of humanity to new ideals and breadth of living.

Those who have once fought for freedom cherish it as a pearl of great price and can make it a jewel worth cherishing to their children and their children's children.

Christ endured hatred and persecution and crucifixion and death rather than give up His ideals—the ideals that were to remake the world. Now, after 2,000 years, Christians, and those who love freedom are enduring persecution, unheard of degradation and death, BECAUSE they love what Christ stands for.

So Easter comes this year, with a message of peculiar significance to those who fight for what is dearer than life—the right to live that life according to their conscience. And it comes with its old promise that after persecution and death or death in life comes a newer, better life where a brotherhood of nations shall take the place of a world at war, and where, with justice for ALL, there will be no room for the hot-breeds of evil from which sprang the betrayers of their races.

Easter will be the rising of new hope for the new world when the war is won. All that Christ's resurrection meant was not clear to those who lived to see it—and the hope born this Easter will not have immediate fulfillment. But where there is Easter there is new life—a new world will come.

## Suggest Simple Ways Of Aiding War Effort

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vide them; with information concerning municipal health.

Another group said that "we should do our own missionary work on that subject." Still another group recommended a public health nurse as a beginning for a health project.

Co-operative purchasing was favored by all four groups, but no definite plans were made regarding it.

More than half the forums intend to carry on monthly meetings throughout the summer. However, because of the shortage of farm labor, it was felt by the majority of the members of the Temperanceville forums that regular meetings were out of the question.

Last year the two local forums sponsored a community picnic, which was held at Springwater Park, Midhurst. This event proved so successful that another picnic has been planned for this summer. A committee was also set up to plan a party to raise war funds.

The pupils of the local school have been carrying on a salvage campaign. The forums felt that the whole community should join in and work with the children, so the following salvage committee was elected: R. Jennings, S. Bovaird, C. Beynon, W. Jennings, E. Polliott, W. E. Barker, Miss Millie Umehara and Mrs. E. Paxton.

Suggestions for helping to further Canada's war effort were: economize as much as possible; produce as much as possible; co-operate in existing war efforts; save gas; grow good gardens; serve plainer and more nutritious meals; do important things first and leave non-essentials undone; abolish door-to-door selling, which wastes valuable time; support the salvage campaign.

The recreation period included a "ring-song," led by Mrs. N. Thompson, a balloon stunt, a sentence relay and a mirth-provoking game in which each person helped in the writing of a will. Lunch was served.

Best wishes were extended to

## COUNCILLOR'S WIFE DIES AT AGE OF 38

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The death occurred at York county hospital, Newmarket, yesterday afternoon of Mrs. Lena M. Palmer Cook, wife of Councillor Asa A. Cook and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Palmer of Aurora.

She was 38 years of age and had been ill for the past few weeks. She was born near Belleville and came to Aurora following her marriage. Mrs. Cook was a member of Aurora United church and prominent in church affairs, being an official of the evening auxiliary and past president of the In-A-Much club.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow from Aurora United church at 2:30 p.m., with Rev. Roy Hicks conducting the service. Interment will be at Aurora cemetery.

Mrs. Cook is survived by her husband, parents and five children, the eldest, Francis, being the North York representative in the Ontario Older Boys' parliament. The members of the family are Francis, Marion, Barbara, James and Bobbie. Her loss is mourned by the entire community.

BROWNIE PACK FORMED

On Saturday morning, as an adjunct to the Aurora Girl Guides troop, Lorraine Guntion organized a Brownie pack of girls between the ages of 8 and 11. Their motto is "Do Good to Others."

Eighteen girls form the present pack, which will meet each Saturday morning. Lorraine Guntion is pack leader or "Brown Owl," while among the older girls who are assisting in leadership are Yvonne Billing, Dorothy Martin and Norma Feren.

Politeness Appreciated

An Irishman had been thrown over a fence by an enraged bull. He had just recovered when he noticed the bull pawing the ground and furiously tossing his head.

"If it wasn't for your bowing and scraping," said Mike, "I'd think yer threw me over on purpose."

a former member of both forums, Charles Henshaw, who is with the R.C.A.F. at Kingston.

## DENTAL ASSISTANT WANTED

Successful applicant must be neat, intelligent, willing to learn, and prepared to spend years in this profession, as it takes several years to properly learn the work.

Efficiency demands a thorough knowledge of office management, typing, x-ray photography, hygiene, care of instruments and equipment, dental anatomy, first aid, anaesthetics—both general and local, and laboratory technique, including denture construction—gold—porcelain—acrylic restorations.

Appointment for an interview may be made by telephoning AURORA 106—Dr. G. A. C. GUNTON

## ERA CLASSIFIEDS CAN BE OF SERVICE TO YOU

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Mr. and Mrs. Graham Teasdale, Buffalo, N.Y. spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Teasdale. Mr. and Mrs. Teasdale attended the Rangers-Leafs game at Maple Leaf Gardens, Toronto, on Saturday evening.

Misses Pat and Lorraine Guntion gave a kitchen party on Friday evening at which about 25 Aurora young people were present. Miss Barbara Andrews of the staff of Honeywood continuation school spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. M. L. Andrews.

Misses Jean and Joyce McLeod entertained for a number of Aurora and district young people on Saturday evening.

Among those who entertained for Mrs. W. J. Ough prior to her marriage were Mrs. Stewart Rumble, Miss Muriel Barrow, Miss M. Hayden and Mrs. Sheldon Walker, all of Richmond Hill. Members of Mrs. Ough's Sunday-school class presented her with an oven glass set.

Miss P. Banbury spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Banbury.

Miss Isabelle Raeside, who is employed at Pickering, Ont., spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Raeside.

Miss Ethel Graham of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Graham.

Miss Mary Fice of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Fice.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lee, Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Morris.

Harry Fry, Hearst, Ont., returned north on Monday after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fry.

Miss Margaret Madren spent the weekend at Bradford.

Miss Marian Bolton of Toronto spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bolton.

Mrs. J. Boland of Cache Bay is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. A. V. Boland.

Miss Mabel Ough of Toronto spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ough.

Mr. Jay Cody of Windsor spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Cody.

Mrs. L. W. Stephens spent Sunday in Toronto with her sister, Miss Kate Osborne.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Lacey and Miss Mary Lacey motored to Thornbury on Sunday.

Mr. Charles Stone spent the weekend at St. Catharines.

Miss Nancy Dwan of Ottawa is visiting her aunt, Mrs. B. D. Gilbert.

Eric Smith is spending a few weeks with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Coulson Malloy of Toronto spent Sunday with Reeve C. A. Malloy and the Misses C. and M. Malloy.

Bob Kerr of Montreal is spending his Easter holidays with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Johnson.

Eva Amiaux of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Pruner.

WITH THE CHURCHES

Members of the 1942 confirmation class at Trinity Anglican church attended communion service at 8 a.m. on Sunday at the church, during which many members of the 1941 class followed the service a communion breakfast was served in the parish hall by the parochial guild.

The W.M.S. of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church met this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Marshall Rank.

The W.A. of Trinity Anglican church held an important sewing meeting in the parish hall on Tuesday.

The United church Y.P.U. met under the leadership of Mrs. Arnold Miller, the mission convener, on Monday. The scripture, John 2, was read by Joan Swindle.

Mrs. Miller gave a few interesting facts about the life of Rev. G. Bernard, author of "The Beautiful Hymn," "The Old Rugged Cross," after which Edith Richards sang the hymn, Mrs. Miller explained "Symbols of Easter."

There were 30 members present. The meeting closed with the benediction.

TO THE VICTOR

At great risk the valiant knight had rescued the fair maiden and now, he was holding her in his arms.

She: "Listen, big boy! You're not holding me for ransom, are you?"

Knight: "Not me! Let Ransom get his own women."

Calendar

Invitations have been sent out by the Aurora high school alumni for the annual dance on Friday evening, April 10, in Toronto. Bert Lynd and Miss Constance Willis are convoking the event.

Special Easter services will be held in the Baptist church on Sunday. In the evening there will be a baptismal service, followed by a reception and communion service.

On Easter Monday at 8 p.m. a pageant, "From darkness into light," is being presented at Aurora Baptist church, to which townspeople are invited.

Tonight Al La Salle's orchestra makes its first public appearance at Mechanic's hall. The Aurora Red Cross will get the net proceeds.

### ENUMERATORS NAMED

Aurora enumerators for the preparation of the voters' list for the forthcoming plebiscite are T. A. M. Hulse, A. E. Quinn, L. W. Stephens, L. K. Farr and Clarence Doolittle. Enumerating will start early in April. The vote is on April 27.

## MUSICIAN'S DAUGHTER CROWNED "POSTURE QUEEN" AT A.H.S. AFTER UNIQUE CONTEST

Frances Moore, daughter of Bandmaster and Mrs. Robert Moore, was crowned "Posture Queen of 1942" at Aurora high school on Monday by vote of her fellow students.

To encourage erectness of carriage and to do away with round shoulders, sloppy habits of walking and standing and to build a beautiful body, girl students held a posture contest for a week. Every girl was given a blue "P" to wear on her dress, and a judging committee of Barbara Brown, Beth Shortt, Lily King and Pat Sisman were appointed the official Gestapo to judge their fellow students.

The four monitors wore white

### SIFT PROBLEM TONIGHT

Fire-fighting difficulties between the town of Aurora and the townships of King and Whitchurch may be ironed out tonight when representatives of the three municipalities meet in Aurora council chambers.

### WITH THE SOLDIERS

Pte. Ernest Atkinson of the R.C.O.C., Brantford, accompanied by Pte. Cyril Fenton of the same unit, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. William Atkinson.

Pte. Percy Hill of the Royal Regt., Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Pte. George Dodsley of the 1st Irish Regt., C.A.A.F., has been visiting in this district on furlough from Nova Scotia.

Pte. Albert Doolittle of the R.C.O.C., Hamilton, spent the weekend at his home.

Pte. Leonard Chapman of the 1st Irish Regt., C.A.A.F., Halifax, arrived home this week on furlough.

John Sisman of the R.C.A.F., Malton, is confined to hospital with a severe fever. His attack is termed "mild" and he is progressing favorably.

Claude White of the R.C.O.C., Brantford, spent the weekend at his home.

Clayton Videau, who is in the navy, spent the weekend in town. Pte. Cecil Holman, overseas with the R.C.A.S.C., is now assigned to the army tank brigade.

Marie Arnott, Aurora girl with the C.W.A.C., who has been making daily trips through her home town as mail-order to Camp Borden, completed her last trip on Saturday. She is now assigned to drive one of the general staff at M.D. 2.

LAC William Hoskinson of the R.C.A.F., Moncton, N.B., spent several days leave in town last week.

Sgt.-Pilot John Sloan of the R.C.A.F., former Aurora boy, was among the Canadian troops arriving in England recently.

Alex. Campbell of King, former student at Aurora high school, has joined the R.C.A.F.

LAC Gordon McKenzie of the R.C.A.F. is at present in South Africa.

Dale King of the R.C.A.F., Dauphin, Man., is spending a few days leave with his mother, Mrs. W. C. King.

Cpl. Alfred Kirk of the R.C.A.F., Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Pte. Joseph Smith of the Veterans' Guard has been transferred from Windsor to Montell, Ont., and is spending his furlough at his home.

Trooper Edward Graham of the Ontario Tank Regiment, Camp Borden, spent several days' leave at his home last week.

Howard East of the R.C.A.F., Camp Borden, former Aurora high school athlete, was in town on Sunday.

Pte. Clifford Corbett of the C. P. C., Camp Borden, spent the weekend with his family.

Tom Sheridan of the R.C.A.F., St. Thomas, who has just recovered from an attack of scarlet fever, is home on two weeks' leave.

LAC Reg. Wade of the R.C.A.F., Jarvis, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. M. Wade.

THE HOCKEY SCOREBOARD

(as of April 1st)

Intermediate A Finals

Fingal R.C.A.F. 4 Sutton 2

Sutton R.C.A.F. 1

(Scores tied in best two of three games. Sudden death third game to decide title.)

Intermediate B Semi-Finals

Owen Sound 10 Seaforth 5

(Owen Sound wins round.)

Markham 12 Paris 3

Paris 8 Markham 5

(Markham wins round 17-11.)

Intermediate B Finals

Markham 8 Owen Sound 2

(Owen Sound wins.)

(Best of three series being played, all games at Owen Sound.)

Junior C Finals

Milton 6 Preston 4

(Heat of 3 series.)

Intermediate O.R.H.A. "A" Final

King 6 Plattaville 2

(King wins title and round 9-4.)

WANT YONGE ST. CLASSIFIED AS A.R.P. AREA

I. E. Lambart and N. I. Matthews, K.C., chairman and vice-chairman, respectively, of the Newmarket civilian defence committee, conferred on Saturday with Dr. G. A. C. Guntion, chairman of the Aurora C.D.C., relative to having the Yonge St. district recognized as an A.R.P. district. Aurora, Richmond Hill and Newmarket officials are anxious to have the area designated as an A.R.P. area in order that the C.D.C. work may be more efficiently carried out.

## AURORA PUCKSTERS ENTER OPEN SERIES

Don, Hamilton, Ross Tunbridge, Del. Beaumont and other stalwarts of the 1942 Aurora junior hockey club have banded together to form an entry in the open series of the T.H.L. King Clancy series.

The boys are running the team themselves and bearing all expenses, the games being played on artificial ice at Toronto arenas.

Their progress will be watched with interest by the local fans even tho' the tang of spring is in the air.

## HOCKEY STAR IS "IN THE NAVY NOW"

Seaman Bill Wilson, former Aurora hockey star, who has recently joined the navy, was in town over the weekend.

Bill, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson, Newmarket, was a member of the Hollinger Greenshirts N.O.H.A. senior team this year, and on Saturday, in a release from Timmins, was named to the left wing position on the all-star pool of N.O.H.A. senior players, picked by the fans around the circuit.

Bill's last appearance with Aurora was against Orangeville in the finals of 1938. The next year he played junior A hockey with Young Rangers and the following year went to northern Ontario.

## PLAY BRINGS \$10

Vandorf Women's Institute netted \$10 for work as the result of a performance of "Mother Means Business" by the Woodbridge dramatic club in the community hall on Friday night.

## FORMER AURORA WOMAN HAS RESPONSIBLE POST

Mrs. F. G. Montgomery of Toronto, the former Georgina Case of Aurora, was re-elected secretary-manager of the Restaurant Association of Ontario last week.

## COLLIS EMPLOYEES RECEIVE BONUSES

Collis Leather employees were all smiles this week as they received handsome bonus cheques from the firm, the result of profit sharing by the employees for the year's work. The amounts ranged from \$10 to attractive three figure cheques, depending upon length of service with the company and the responsibility of positions held.

## IS IN HOSPITAL

Frank Griffith is confined to York county hospital as a result of a fall last Thursday evening when he slipped and fell while washing his automobile.

## QUILT MEETS

The Aurora Co-operative Women's Guild met last evening at the home of Mrs. P. Pugsley. Mrs. F. Chapman and Mrs. J. Thomson were in charge of the program, while lunch was provided by Mrs. Robert Hacking and Mrs. Ernest Glass.

## IS AN AURORA MISS

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## ASKS FOR EGGS FOR LOYAL TRUE BLUE HOME

"Our campaign closes on Saturday, and while the response has been generous, we are looking forward to receiving many more dozens of eggs," Major W. I. Taylor told The Era regarding the campaign for eggs for Easter for the children at the Loyal True Blue orphanage.

Each year Aurora donates close to 200 dozen eggs. Major Taylor is confident that this amount will be reached but urges those who are intending to contribute to do so without delay. Eggs may be left at Major Taylor's residence, Morris' Butcher Shop, or M. Rank's Jewellery store.

## VANDORF INSTITUTE PACKS SOLDIERS' BOXES

The Vandorf Women's Institute packed 10 boxes for overseas last week when they met at the home of Mrs. Con. Moynihan. The boxes included chocolates, razor blades, smokes and other comforts for district boys. The group has also completed no less than 38 quilts this year.

## RENT HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John Ough, Jr., have rented the premises on Maple St. formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Borden.

## FESTIVAL CANCELLED

The Aurora Boys' band has received word that the Waterloo band festival, in which the boys have been taking part each year, will not be held this year.

## DRUM-MAJORETTE NAMED

Joan Chalk, defence player on the Aurora girls' senior basketball team, has been named as drum-major of the newly formed girls' cadet corps at the high school.

## THIS YOUNG LADY IS DOREEN JANE, THREE-AND-A-HALF MONTHS OLD DAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. ERNEST FALERS, YONGE ST. AURORA, AND GRANDDAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. LEWIS GILLHAM OF KING. PHOTO BY BARRINGER STUDIOS, AURORA.

## ARE BROTHERS

The two charming youngsters above are Findlay Wayne, who was a year old last November, and John Douglas, who was six years old on Dec. 20. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Ferguson of Aurora. Photo by Budd.

## GRACE DEWSBURY WEDS JOHN OUGH

A pretty wedding took place at Richmond Hill United church on Wednesday evening, March 25, when Grace Dewsbury, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dewsbury, Richmond Hill, became the bride of William John Ough, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ough, Aurora. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. B. Brethen.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white dress of mousseline de sole, with wreath of white flowers, and carried a bouquet of Sweetheart roses and spring flowers. Her attendants were her sister, Miss Lenore Dewsbury, and the groom's sister, Miss Elaine Ough. Their dresses were of blue and pink mousseline de sole, duplicating the bride's dress in design. LAC William Hoskinson of the R.C.A.F., Aurora, now stationed in New Brunswick, was a bridesman. Ushers were Sheldon Walker of Richmond Hill and Bert Franklin of Oakridge.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mrs. Dewsbury and Mrs. Ough, receiving with the young couple. Mrs. Dewsbury wore a gown of powder blue crepe with a cascade of blue carnations, and Mrs. Ough wore a navy blue crepe frock with a cascade of red roses. Following a honeymoon in eastern Ontario the young couple will reside in Aurora.

AURORANS ARE ON OLD BOYS' EXECUTIVE

St. Andrew's College "old boys" held their annual meeting at the college on Saturday, with a splendid attendance.

Following a short business session a reception was held by Honorary Master and Mrs. Kenneth Ketchum. A delightful buffet supper was served and an interesting program provided.

Gilbert Blackstock, K.C., the retiring president, was in the chair and Joseph Taylor of Toronto was elected president. W. A.



# DOWN THE CENTRE

**First team:** goal, Lorne Evans, Milton; defence, Joe Schertzel, Milton, and Nick Bangay, Markham; centre, Ronnie Rowe, Markham; right wing, Del Beaumont, Aurora; left wing, Bill Calhoun, Markham.

**Second team:** goal, Don Hamilton, Aurora; defence, Myles MacInnis, Aurora, and Doug McLeod, Markham; centre, Reg. Singleton, Etobicoke; right wing, Jack Pendelbury, Etobicoke; left wing, Harold Capra, Aurora.

**Honorable mention:** Ross Tunbridge, Aurora, Bob Dixon, Oakville, defence; Mervyn Broughton, Aurora, and Red Gillespie, Milton, centre; Bruce Rich and Dick Howson, Etobicoke, Bill Gibson, Oakville, and "Pesky" Weatherall, Markham, wings.

All-Star Special at last seems down the track and we hope it'll be as popular as Chattanooga Choo-choo and Rose O'Day, which filled the air in every hockey dressing-room and lunch-room juke box we visited the past winter. It is our third and perhaps last attempt at star-casting, for with gasoline rationing in effect and war clouds blacker than the time last year, the idea of junior hockey in the district is more uncertain than ever.

Surprise and probably the keenest competition in years were the keynotes of the local junior group. The group this year was the best balanced in many a moon and every team with the exception of Oakville would have gone just as far as Milton once they got out of the group. First it was the youthful Etobicoke Indians that attracted the attention of all and sundry and then the four corners of the province the Scruton-Hackett squad were picked as the team to beat. Then it was Aurora's turn and the local youngsters with a garrison finish were given the nod by the wisecracks as the logical survivors. Then the Baker-Bangay coached Markham Generals were the odds on choice, only to be blasted from the picture by the sharp-clawed, staidly Milton Hawks, who hounded up from the depths to the top with a fighting spirit that could not be denied plus a liberal helping of breaks and some sunny smiles from the fickle goddess who plays the part of guide along play-off trail.

Milton won because they had the will to win and did not know when they were beaten. A team of championship calibre requires one or two boys that can give their mates the necessary lift when things are toughest and skies are blackest and in Lorne Evans, Joe Schertzel and "Red" Gillespie the bricklayers had three players that could shake the doormats away with as much nonchalance as a hula dancer performing at Pearl Harbor during the blitz. These are the type of young giants who bring joy to the heart of a coach and are the symbol of the spirit we believe entitles us to rank among the victors in peace or war. "A team that won't be beaten can't be beaten," so the legend goes, and Milton in their second series against Parry Sound and in their series against Markham well exemplified that saying, little as it may be.

Etobicoke went west when "Steve" Nash, their goalie, went jittery on end and became puke-sky. Aurora bowed out when Mervyn Broughton was injured and the team missed his heady steady play. Markham, a band of battlers of the highest calibre, played themselves out in the Aurora series and when Ronnie Rowe was injured and couldn't go at top speed, exploded like a pricked balloon.

Oakville, jinxed all year, never really got started, although as a whole their players were a pretty fair assortment and tried hard all the way.

Financially, the two M's, Milton and Markham, were the only ones to hit pay dirt and blue ink. Aurora, Etobicoke and Oakville all lost money in varying amounts. Another round for any of the trio would have put them on the right side of the ledger. Added to the feeling of disappointment that comes with defeat, there are headaches when the executive committee find their books remembering the auditor's statement "of that great fraternity the mystic knights of the sea."

Markham in the third game of the Milton series drew the largest single gate scored by junior hockey in these parts in years. When criticizing the financial standing at the end of the season, remember the hockey team's costs were higher for operating this year. Gasoline, sticks, meals, lost time if paid, were all higher, while the gate charge still remained at a lowly two bits. The O.H.A., with true government spirit, tacked on a little matter of five percent for play-off gates for their own kitty, which didn't help either. The supply of grandstand coaches and would-be braintrusts, who never contributed a thin dime or a bit of extra effort to the success of the teams competing, sprouted a crop this year that like production of all sorts was on a wartime footing.

A year ago, if you've forgotten, Newmarket and Sutton along with Markham and Aurora were in a group and the all-star team saw a first team of Ross Waddell, Tunbridge, Tommy Myers, Bob Bangay, Bob Lawrie, Austin Baker, while the seconds had Frank Carr, Nick Bangay, Ike Harper, Del Beaumont, Brian Thompson and Myles MacInnis hand-picked.

Of that crowd Waddell was drafted to junior A by Oshawa, Beaumont, Tunbridge, Nick Bangay and MacInnis returned for junior action, while the rest passed from the ranks by virtue of being born too soon. Bob Bangay, Lawrie, Baker and Harper are all performing for Markham intermediates this season and seem in a fair way to annex their second straight championship medal. There were thus four of the 12 all-stars left

in the group and three of these were playing for Aurora.

Selectors for '42 were Murray Scruton of Etobicoke, Austy Baker of Markham, Charlie Rowntree of Aurora, a referee who saw all five teams perform but desires to have his name kept a dark secret, and yours truly. Oakville and Milton coaches delayed too long in making their choices, so we couldn't include them. Personally we didn't have to cast a vote for the first team and only to break a tie on the second team and our personal choices were far out with the main opinions. We couldn't find a fan in the impartial class who had seen sufficient games to count, what with war work keeping the boys from journeying far from the home fireside. The board of selectors have done a good job, we think, and Milton and Oakville players have not been forgotten in the balloting.

Kiss of final choices was a two-point rating for first team, and a single unit for second place and when we started to clear up things we didn't need a slide-rule or calculator table to aid us in working out the equations.

Three players were a unanimous choice for the first team. Two of them are on professional reserve lists and the third probably is too. Lorne Evans, returned Milton net-minder, Joe Schertzel, the Hungarian cannonball on the Milton defence, and Del Beaumont, the quiet hard-working sniper of the local team, were justly popular all round. From all the information, as never before players performing in the local junior group were given the once-over by big league scouts.

Lorne Evans of Milton was a unanimous choice for the net job. Big as custardians go, he filled the net without effort and didn't leave much room to shoot at. He was quick on his feet too and rectified his early season habit of flopping in front of a fake shot in time for the play.

Don Hamilton of Aurora was given a unanimous choice for the second team position. At times Don played a brand of hockey that was sensational but he wasn't as steady as Evans.

Class of the goalies is indicated by the fact that Walter Klimak of Oakville was netminder last year for Oshawa B's, who went to the finals, and while he played well this year he didn't snag a vote. Collins, Bowdye and Young, who all played for Markham, were better than average, while in most games Harry Nash saved Etobicoke. If we had to look to the future we would pick Frankie Hughes, the Aurora alternate, as the lad most likely to go farthest. At 15 years of age he played almost as well as Hamilton, who is more experienced and three years older.

Joe Schertzel, captain of the Milton club and under strings to Boston Bruins, could probably make a place in most A clubs. He hands out body checks clean, is a fast skater and dangerous breaker, and possesses the hardest shot we've seen in junior hockey. He has great team spirit too.

Nick Bangay of Markham gets second spot on the defence, a promotion from last year, and deserved too. Bangay, while light, is a pestiferous checker, has plenty of the old moxie and knows what to do with a puck. He turned down a chance with Marlboro's. He and Schertzel both got their share of goals this season. He is a bit quick-tempered and a bit dirty but he can handle it all smoothly.

Mervyn Broughton just missed the first team by one mark, but he was a unanimous choice all along the line for one spot or another. Last year he was chosen at left wing on the second team. "Glimpy" was a threat every time he went up the ice and next to Schertzel he was the hardest shooting and highest scoring defenceman. With two years in junior yet, Myles, a quiet unassuming lad, is definitely headed places. He is probably the most versatile player of the whole lot.

Doug McLeod of Markham, a converted forward, gets the fourth spot, barely noosing out Ross Tunbridge, who was a first-team man last year. Tunbridge played in and out this season, but it was McLeod who lightened up the Markham defence in the Aurora series, and got his share of goals too. Bob Dixon of Oakville gets honorable mention, as does Ross Johnstone of Etobicoke, who at 15 years of age was almost as good as any.

Centre ice saw a remarkable many second spots this year, with four boys outstanding. Ronnie Rowe of Markham got the first-team award by the narrowest margin over Reg. Singleton of Etobicoke. Rowe got a first-team vote for the left-wing position, which gave him the margin over the Manitoba boy. Rowe finished third in the actual scoring race but in the play-offs was head and shoulders over Singleton. He got 27 scoring points during the regular schedule and without him Etobicoke would have been like lost sheep. He reminded me of Jackie Dickson last year with Newmarket. He didn't look so effective but he was Johnny-on-the-spot when it came to hitting the rigging. Rowe too is more rugged and has a better fighting heart.

Mervyn Broughton received one first-team vote and his quiet style of play was overlooked by many. He was the best checker at centre ice but didn't have too much luck at banging them home. "Red" Gillespie, the Orangeville flash, came to the Milton squad late in the regular schedule but he has done a grand job and is a regular sleeper in the attack. He bids fair to surpass the achievements of his older brother, Doug. Incidentally, he has two kid brothers playing with Orangeville juveniles, who have reached the provincial finals. Ken, Nash of Aurora, while not named to all-star honors, gives great promise for the future.

Del Beaumont was a unanimous choice for the right-wing berth. He was the leading scorer for Aurora and the second highest in the group. A gentleman on and off the ice, he would be eligible for the Lady Byng trophy if we had

one to award, and he obeyed instructions and patrolled his wing faithfully. Those four goals in the last game were a fine climax to a splendid season's work. There was a great deal of choice for the second position with Bill Gibson of Oakville, Pendelbury of Etobicoke, and "Pesky" Weatherall of Markham being considered.

Jack Pendelbury of Etobicoke got the final call because of his experience and sniping power. He is huskier too and makes few mistakes. Carter of Milton is another good boy and in the play-offs his understudy, with the funny name Schlizzi, has been very good.

Left wing for some curious reason has always been a difficult position to fill. We suppose it is because so many players are transferred to play there whether or not they are left-wingers.

Bill Calhoun of Markham, now finishing out the season for Milton, gets the first spot. Bill is versatile and cool, and played many positions besides left wing. A vote for right wing gave him the spot over the rest.

Harold Capra of Aurora gets the second spot. Capra was a bit of an in-and-out and perhaps didn't check as well as he might but over the whole season he performed well. He was the second leading scorer on the Aurora team and one of the first four in the group.

Bruce Rich and Dick Howson of Etobicoke were also considered, while such players as Jack Watson of Markham, Roberts and Coffell of Milton, and Gib. Bridgeman of Oakville, were overlooked by the selectors. If it rested with us we would be inclined to give either Bridgeman or Rich the nod, but Capra gets the choice by reason of sufficient other votes.

The first team, we believe, is a real powerhouse. Every man can skate fast, shoot hard, check well, and obey orders, and they all possess plenty of intestinal fortitude and stamina. Substitute in any position a member of the second squad and you couldn't go far wrong either. Our personal opinion, however, is that as a group the firsts could spot the seconds two goals. Milton names two, Markham three and Aurora one to the first squad, which hardly justifies the standings in the end but actually is a fair representation of a first-team worth. On the combined teams Markham and Aurora both place four, Milton two and Etobicoke two. The burden carried by Evans and Schertzel can well be appreciated in view of all this.

Bill Calhoun of Markham gets the most versatile player award, but Myles MacInnis, Del Beaumont and Nick Bangay aren't far behind. Murray Allen of Etobicoke, who went berserk in the play-offs to his team's disadvantage, was also equally as well at home in most positions.

Most valuable player awards for the various teams are as follows: Milton could not do without Joe Schertzel or Lorne Evans, but of the two Schertzel gets the palm. Ronnie Rowe takes down the Markham prize ribbon, for Oakville Gib. Bridgeman was the most valuable. Reg. Singleton by a wide margin gets the choice for Etobicoke, while for Aurora Mervyn Broughton and Del Beaumont are nominated. Broughton by actual choice of those concerned gets the nod over Del, a nice tribute to a game, unselfish boy playing his last year in junior hockey.

Best team spirit award we made ourselves, and we hand it to the boys who were "unhonored" and unused all season and played the game cleanly and well with the biggest handicap of any player in the group. We refer to Allen

Bowdye, the Markham sub-goalie who didn't play a poor game all season and was always on hand to fill the breach. He started out in the S.P.A. series and won two games. Then he was injured, Bobby Lynn replaced him for the balance of the series. He started the season in goal but was replaced by Jimmy Young. Young was disbarred and he came back to his regular post. Then Jocko Collins was drafted and he was shifted to the sidelines whenever Collins, who was playing for Delfavland, also was available. When Collins couldn't be there Bowdye willingly took his place. The lad, deaf and dumb from birth, took more pushing around, and yet remained more loyal to his team than anybody else we could think of.

Coaching award is rather hard to make but personally we would vote for Maxie Hackett of Etobicoke. Hackett had the youngest team in the group and except for about three boys they were all inexperienced. He brought them down in first place in the regular schedule. They checked like leeches and asked no quarter and if they had been fortified with a first-string goalie might have been pitching yet. The youthful Austy Baker, who did most of the Markham coaching, did a fine job too. Baker, a year out of junior ranks, suffered from that familiarity complex but kept his boys fighting. If Lou Boudreau gets as good results in baseball with Cleveland fans and owners will have no kick coming. Rowntree of Aurora, Bas. Megafin of Oakville and Hayward of Milton are all old-timers in the masterminding class. We could call them professors of the ice games, so no words of ours could add to the battle-scarred records of these maestros.

Clean play award would go to



Myles MacInnis of the defence-men or his pal Ross Tunbridge and up front to Singleton, or Broughton. Markham were the roughest, toughest team in the group, while for team clean play the local lads would have to be considered seriously. The Aurora team was too clean, perhaps, and the penalties they got were generally of the foolish, wasted type.

Honorable mention includes players considered by the selectors but not named to either of the two teams. There are a host of players unnamed who would look pretty sweet on any junior C team. Milton, long overdue for a championship, are now knocking the portals of hockey fame. We hope they come through and win this week over Preston. In 1938 the O.H.A. started junior C classification in the age series

## SNOWBALL RED CROSS PRESIDENT ADDRESSES INSTITUTE

The Snowball Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Charles Barrett last Wednesday afternoon, with a large attendance. A progressive euchre and croquinoile party was arranged in aid of Red Cross work, to be held in the schoolhouse next Tuesday evening.

Ten dollars was voted to be central fund of the W.I. and five dollars is to be sent to the Queen Mary Cot fund at Weston sanitarium.

E. G. Lloyd, president of the King township Red Cross, and Miss Edgar, secretary, were present.

Mr. Lloyd gave an inspiring address on the work of the organization, the planning of the parcels for Britain and their distribution there. This gave the ladies a better understanding of the work and also spurred them on to greater achievements in this worthy work. The meeting closed with the national anthem.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robinson and son, Tommy, of Toronto, and Miss Mary Jean Marritt, of Aurora, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Barr and Mrs. Albert Barr on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Leo Cull of Newmarket and Miss Bertha Ferguson and Miss Helen Haines of Aurora were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Barr on Sunday evening.

Mr. Hiram White is under the doctor's care.

Pte. C. P. Little of the 48th Highlanders, stationed at Camp Borden, spent a short leave with friends here last week.

Mr. Murray Boyce of Laskay spent Sunday with Mr. Stuart Mills.

A Red Cross quilting was held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Ash last Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Hollingshead spent a few days last week with friends in Toronto.

Messrs. Clifford and Jack Cunningham of Toronto spent Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Farren, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Mitchell are moving to the Trent farm on the second concession.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Robson of Aurora are moving to the Mitchell farm, recently purchased by Walter Milgate of Aurora.

A W.A. quilting was held last

and since then the local group has had a mighty fine record and always made the straight or place position. Two championships and two finalists to date and at least a finalist this year. The fans in these parts can perhaps be excused, with a record like that, for being a bit jaded in their hockey palates. This has been a big year despite everything and next week we hope to record the successes of Sutton, Markham, King City and Humber Summit Intermediates. We write "30" to the all-stars of this year. May they twinkle for many years to come in the hockey firmament. We know, in company with a fine crowd of gallant boys whom we are pleased to salute, in needed by their country, they can and will do a job.

Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Hazel Webb. Mr. William Ransome of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. Albert Barr.

## Pleasantville

The British War Victims' Fund film will be shown at Bogart town school on April 30.

The Institute district annual meeting will be held in Newmarket on May 22. Each member is asked to take her own box lunch.

About 60 folk gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Harper on Friday and presented a beautiful chair to the bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ridley.

After a good program of readings and community singing a lunch was served and all wished the young couple a happy married life. They are taking rooms in part of Mrs. Tucker's house.

On Sunday afternoon the congregation of the Union church were pleased to have with them again Rev. J. A. Koffend, who had been away on account of illness. During his absence the pulpit was filled by different ministers from Newmarket, who were much appreciated.

Mrs. Gordon McClure, Mr. Murray McClure and Miss S. McQueen called at the home of Mrs. E. Madill, Poteville, and all journeyed to the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Peterson, Aurora, for Saturday night supper.

Mr. Ronald Hawtin and Miss K. Ayliffe returned to Ottawa on Sunday after spending a week at the home of Mrs. E. Hawtin and Mrs. M. Starr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Preston and two children motored to Oshawa on Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stallibrass.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ridley of Peterboro spent Friday with Ridley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ridley.

Pte. Raymond Needler of Chatham and Miss Doris Wilson of Holt were weekend visitors at the Needler home.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Forbes of Toronto were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Toole.

Mrs. Gordon McClure and Miss S. McQueen had Tuesday night supper at the home of Mrs. J. Johnson and family.

On Monday evening the committee in charge of packing the overseas boxes gathered at the home of Earl Toole. The boys who are being remembered each month from this neighborhood include: Tprs. Orley McClure and Cecil Hoover, Pte. Douglas Sheridan, Cpl. A. Chalklin and Pte. Wilfred Needler. Donations of candy, canned goods or money towards these boxes will be gladly received by the convener, Mrs. Earl Toole. These boys are on duty for those at home and it is urged that neighbors do not forget a treat for them.

## Eversley

Rev. W. L. Atkinson, who has been "stated supply" at Eversley and King charge for nearly a year, bade farewell to his congregations on Sunday. He has enjoyed the work and was much

## VANDORF Newlyweds Will Live On Farm At Vandorf

A farewell party of about 80 friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Loveless on Monday evening. The evening was spent in games and card playing. Mr. and Mrs. Loveless were

appreciated. He goes to Thornbury and an associate charge, to take over the work of Rev. Mr. Mitchell, who has entered military service.

Mrs. P. Bridgeman (Mina Tawse) visited for a few days in Toronto last week. She visited her sister, Mrs. W. Follitt, her brother, Mr. Mack Tawse, and several cousins.

Mrs. Ernest Congers Barker visited her friends, Miss A. A. Ferguson, and Mrs. E. W. G. Worrall, in King, on Saturday.

The funeral of James L. Johnston of Ottawa, with interment in King City cemetery, takes place this morning, with the arrival of the morning train at King.

His many relatives will regret the passing of this dearly loved relative and sympathy goes out to the bereaved widow and sons, David, James and Percy, and Miss Laura. Mr. Johnston was the brother of Mrs. E. J. Davis of Newmarket. He was in his 85th year and enjoyed life to the last. A keen lover of nature, the birds and squirrels were his pets.

An interesting item on an old coal bill, dated 1903, gives the following prices. (George Norman was the coal dealer at King Station at the time. Evidently the coal was for the next winter's supply.) June, price \$4.90 per ton; July 27, \$4.80 per ton; July 29, \$6.10 per ton. The ceiling on coal has gone high when it has been \$15.50 this last winter.

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mand, Montreal, has been trans-  
ferred to Dartmouth.

Cpl. Bertwin Wideman of  
Brantford was calling on friends,  
nephews and cousins in and around  
Zephyr last week. He then left  
for Collingwood to spend a few  
days with his parents before re-  
turning to Brantford.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Pilkey  
and son, Grant, of Claremont,  
visited at Mr. and Mrs. W.  
Myers' (Mrs. Pilkey's sister) on  
Sunday.

Misses Muriel and Mildred  
Lunney of Toronto spent Sun-  
day with their brother and sister  
here.

Mr. Stanley Lunney of Camp  
Borden and Messrs. Bryce Arnold  
and George Taylor of Newmar-  
ket camp were in Zephyr on  
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Palmer and  
Joan, of Toronto, were at Mr. J.  
W. Rynard's on Sunday.

Misses Helen Rynard and  
Grace Lockie of Toronto were at  
their respective homes on Sun-  
day.

Mrs. A. Smith had to return to  
the hospital again on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henton went to  
Concord last week to spend a  
few days with their son, James,  
and family, but as Mrs. Henton  
was not very well she remained

## BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday congratulations this  
week go to:

George Galbraith, Newmarket,  
seven years old on Monday,  
March 30.

Betty Stephens, Newmarket,  
12 years old on Tuesday, March  
31.

Donald Williams, Queensville,  
14 years old on Wednesday, April  
1.

Sheila Marles, Holt, 13 years  
old on Friday, April 3.

Send in your name, age and  
birthday and become a member  
of The Era birthday club.

## KESWICK

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## KESWICK, VISIT BRIEF

Mrs. Orley Hayes is progress-  
ing favorably at York county  
hospital, after her operation.

Miss Bernice Pollock of Van-  
guard, Sask., is visiting this  
week at the home of her uncle,  
Mr. Roy Pollock. The whole  
family will soon be here to take  
up residence in Toronto, where  
her father, Mr. Preston Pollock,  
is teaching in a war plant.

Dan Mahoney of the R.C.A.F. is  
visiting at the home of his par-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mah-  
oney, for two weeks. He is  
being transferred from Goderich  
to Brantford camp. Miss Betty  
Mahoney also was home from  
Pic. Oran Sedore of Kingston  
military camp is still in the hos-  
pital but hopes to be able to get  
home for Easter.

Mr. Jerald Pollock of Orillia  
spent the weekend at his home.  
A big red fox was seen early  
Tuesday morning in Roy Pol-  
lock's yard. He didn't pause long.

## Maple Hill

Rev. Mr. Britton of the  
Queensville Gospel Tabernacle  
preached in Maple Hill church  
on Sunday. Everyone enjoyed  
his messages.

Next Sunday Mr. H. Percy of  
Toronto will be the speaker.  
There will be special Easter  
music.

Rev. E. A. McAsh of Chatham  
is visiting friends here this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Knights  
and family had supper on Sun-  
day at Mr. Murray Kennedy's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ciffin and fam-  
ily of Richmond Hill were call-  
ing on friends here on Sunday.

The Dorcas Society will meet  
next Thursday, April 9, at the  
home of Mrs. Gillion.

Mr. Bert Plummer of Toronto  
spent the weekend at home.

## BELHAVEN

The L.O.B.A. dance is to be  
held in Belhaven community hall  
on the evening of Easter Mon-  
day, April 6.

The Red Cross Society of  
North Gwillimbury is holding a  
meeting in Belhaven hall on  
Tuesday evening. The president,  
Mrs. Wm. Vail, requests that all  
the executive members attend  
this meeting if possible.

On Monday evening of last  
week an enjoyable evening was  
spent at Belhaven hall by a  
large crowd, when a program of  
moving pictures, including sev-  
eral reels advocating better  
farming, was put on by Norman  
King, representing an implement  
firm. Several numbers were in-  
cluded in the program by the  
Fairbank sisters and Miss Shirley  
Rye. A short address was given  
by Martin Stiles.

A prize was offered for any-  
one who could name the man  
who invented the first steel  
plow, but no one collected.

After showing one reel of war  
pictures, three better farming  
pictures and one comic picture,  
the meeting closed with God  
Save the King, with Mrs. Vera  
Nelson at the piano.

On Tuesday evening of last  
week the supper served in the  
hall by members of Bethel  
church was a big success and the  
evening enjoyable.

On Sunday evening another  
snowstorm made the ground and  
trees white again.

## Mount Pleasant

Roads are in bad condition,  
some closed to traffic.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Horner of  
Belhaven were visitors at Mr.  
Max. Stiles' on Sunday.

The Young People's meeting  
for this week was withdrawn on  
account of bad roads.

Maple syrup is reported to be  
plentiful.

The school children will soon  
be enjoying holidays again.

Mrs. Wm. Moulds spent Mon-  
day afternoon with Mrs. Milford  
Rye of Keswick.

Rev. Mr. Carmichael of Tor-  
onto took the services on Sunday  
at Mount Pleasant United church.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davidson  
and Mrs. Bernard Davidson spent  
last Monday afternoon in New-  
market at the home of Mr. and  
Mrs. Donald Davidson.

Rev. D. J. Davidson of India,  
who has been expected home  
now for some time, has sent word  
that he will be unable to return  
owing to war conditions. His  
wife returned in 1939 and was in  
mid-ocean the day war was de-  
clared.

There this week.

Mrs. Wm. Baker, fourth con-  
cessionist, and her sister, Miss  
Irene Taylor, of Toronto, called  
on Mrs. Jas. Galbraith on Mon-  
day.

## KESWICK

## CHURCH AT KESWICK

## ADMITS 21 MEMBERS

Mr. Johnston Perry and a  
friend, Mr. Black, of Toronto,  
were guests at Mr. Perry's par-  
ents' home last weekend.

Miss Isobel Rice and Mr. Alan  
Barron of Toronto were guests  
on Sunday of Rev. and Mrs. Gor-  
don Lapp.

Mrs. F. L. VanNorman and  
Mr. Wm. Marritt, both ill, were  
reported somewhat better this  
week.

Miss Evelyn Arnold was home  
for the weekend.

Rev. Gordon Lapp spent Wed-  
nesday in Brighton, where his  
mother was ill.

Mrs. Gordon Lapp spent some  
days this week in Toronto, say-  
ing goodbye to her sister, before  
the latter goes to Halifax to join  
her husband, who is taking  
naval training there.

Mr. W. R. Fisher spent the  
weekend at his home in Keswick.

Mrs. Enoch McKinnon and  
family, of Maple, visited relatives  
in Keswick last weekend.

Centring around the theme of  
Palm Sunday, the services were  
both inspirational and thought-  
provoking at Keswick United  
church on Sunday. Rev. Gordon  
Lapp presented sermons that  
voiced eloquently the full mean-  
ing of holy week.

At the morning service the  
sacrament of the Lord's Supper  
was observed. Twenty-one new  
members were welcomed into the  
church, ten of these coming  
from Mrs. Stork's C.G.I.T. group.  
In compliance with the king's  
command, prayers for the nation  
and the world were offered.

The music at both services was  
appropriate and rendered beau-  
tifully. In the morning, under the  
capable direction of Miss Gilroy,  
the choir sang a fine number. Miss  
Pollard at the organ, the  
choir sang a fine number. Miss  
Patti Connell was accompanist  
for the evening service. Mrs.  
Lapp accompanied Alan Barron  
of Toronto when he sang a solo.

The regular meeting of the  
United church W.A. will be held  
next Thursday. Following this  
there will be a fine supper and  
moving pictures shown by J. L.  
Carhart of Toronto and Orchard  
Beach. The subjects of films are  
Keswick scenery, a trip to Vir-  
ginia and return via the New  
Jersey coast and Catskill moun-  
tains, a funny film for the chil-  
dren, a trip to Manitoulin island  
and Haliburton, summer time at  
Orchard Beach.

Combined choirs of Keswick  
and Ravenshoe United churches  
will be in charge of the music  
for Easter Sunday morning ser-  
vice at Keswick. Rev. Mr.  
Lapp's sermon subject will be  
"Partakers of His Resurrection."

There will be services Thurs-  
day evening at Keswick and Fri-  
day evening at Roche's Point  
under the united leadership of  
Revs. A. J. Forte, incumbent of  
Christ Anglican church, Roche's  
Point, and Rev. Gordon Lapp,  
minister of Keswick United  
church.

## MOVIES

## PARADE

Gripping melodrama of the hell-  
drivers of the Burma Road, the  
twisting, turning life-line of mun-  
itions and supplies for the embat-  
tled army of China, "Burma Con-  
voy" starts Friday afternoon with  
a matinee at 2:15 p.m., at the  
Strand Theatre.

Charles Bickford tops the cast.  
Evelyn Ankers, the Nordic blonde  
beauty recently signed by Uni-  
versal for a steady buildup, plays  
the feminine lead.

Ripped from the field headlines  
on the newspaper front pages, it  
tells the story of the daredevil  
truck drivers who road across the  
hand-drawn route which stretches  
through the teeming heart of Asia,  
in the face of screaming dive  
bombers and enemy snipers.

Bickford plays the leader of the  
suicide truck squadron who re-  
solves to go back to Kansas City  
and open up a nice little garage.  
But his kid brother, Albertson, is  
murdered by a Eurasian in the  
thick of a plot to betray the truck-  
ing schedule to the enemy forces,  
and Bickford remains to avenge  
his death.

The poignant romance that flows  
in the shadow of grim menace  
and terror incited by the sinister  
activities of the ruthless Gestapo  
in Paris of today, forms the basis  
of "Joan of Paris." Michele Mor-  
gan, brilliant French screen star,  
and Paul Henreid of "Night Train"  
fame, have the romantic leads.

As timely as to-day's headlines,  
the stirring story presents Hen-  
reid as a Free French flyer com-  
manding a British air squadron.  
When he and four comrades are  
shot down, the Frenchman hides  
his men in the famous sewers of  
Paris until he can evolve a means  
of escape back to England.

Bedeviled by a pretty Parisian  
barmaid, the flyer hides while  
the forbidding Gestapo slowly  
closes in on him. The brief but  
burning romance that springs  
from their friendship, and the  
breath-taking events which lead  
up to the spectacular escape of  
the little French girl, are said to  
make "Joan of Paris" one of the  
most significant, powerful dramas  
of the decade.

The countless deeds of the  
Fleet Air Arm provide the theme  
of the thrilling new British film,  
"Ships With Wings," which opens  
at the Strand Theatre on Wednes-  
day.

## NORTH GWILLIMBURY

## RED CROSS HAS FINE

## THREE MONTHS REPORT

North Gwillimbury Red Cross  
is holding a dance on April 17 in  
the township hall at Belhaven.  
An orchestra will provide music.

The regular executive meeting  
will be held in the township hall  
on Tuesday at 8 p.m. All the  
executive are asked to try to be  
present if possible. All members  
are welcome.

Another successful two-day  
work meeting was held in the  
township hall under the leader-  
ship of the Belhaven unit of the  
North Gwillimbury Red Cross.  
Mrs. Whittaker, vice-president,  
was in charge. Twelve quilts  
were completed, one a child's  
quilt, made from remnants of  
layette material, to be sold.  
Three lovely placed quilts were  
sent in by the Elmhurst unit and  
two by the Keswick unit, making  
17 for the month of March.

The sewing department, under  
Miss Gilroy's supervision, com-  
pleted unfinished work for ship-  
ment. Mrs. John Hopkins and  
Mrs. Art King took the work  
convenor's place, and did a fine  
job, completing the work with  
fewer in attendance, as many  
were kept away by sick-  
ness. That is the spirit of the  
Red Cross, and members are  
especially proud of this month's  
effort.

Shipments for January, Febru-  
ary and March are: knitting, 34  
knitted garments to local sol-  
diers, 137 garments for armed  
services to Red Cross headquar-  
ters.

Civilian defence: 43 quilts, 1  
shelter shawl, 5 grey flannel  
dresses, 10 blouses (8 yr. unit), 1  
bathrobe, 15 child's dresses, 1 p-  
woman's pyjama, 1 child's night-  
gown, 1 knitted bonnet, 6 com-  
plete layettes. Included in each  
were 18 diapers, 3 infant gowns,  
1 mother's gown, 3 knitted socks,  
2 baby foot jackets, 3 vests, 2  
safety pins, a total of 284 pieces.

Mrs. W. R. Fisher, work con-  
venor, writes:

"Civilian defence of course  
means 'bombed victims,' so you  
can easily see that two-thirds of  
the money given to your branch  
Red Cross goes to the bombed  
areas in finished garments ready  
to wear. As we looked on the  
finished work of your hands and  
hearts we could not help but feel  
that you are having a part,  
through the grace of God, in  
helping to answer the prayers of  
a courageous people in the throes  
of a terrifying blitz. So we  
closed the boxes with a prayer  
of our own, that the brave mer-  
chant marine would be guided  
safely to England.

"We would like to say also in  
this column a sincere 'thank you'  
for the help The Newmarket Era  
has given us in our Red Cross  
work. It is greatly appreciated."

## ROCHE'S POINT

## KESWICK, ROCHE'S PT.

## HOLD JOINT SERVICES

The congregations of Keswick  
United church and Christ church,  
Anglican, are holding united ser-  
vices on Maundy Thursday and  
Good Friday of this week.

On Thursday evening the ser-  
vice will be in Keswick United  
church at 8 p.m. The service  
will be in the charge of the min-  
ister, Rev. Gordon Lapp, and  
Rev. A. J. Forte will give the  
address. On Good Friday even-  
ing the service will be held in  
Christ church at 8 p.m., when  
members of the United church  
from Keswick will join in wor-  
ship with members of the Roche's  
Point congregation. The guest  
speaker will be Mr. Lapp, and the  
service will be in the charge of  
Mr. Forte.

On Easter Day two special ser-  
vices will be held in Christ  
church at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. At  
the morning service there will  
be a celebration of Holy Com-  
munion. Special Easter messages  
will be given at both services.  
Rev. A. J. Forte will be in charge  
of both services.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beerling,  
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Badland,  
and Miss Elsie Badland, of Tor-  
onto, spent the weekend with  
friends at London and Lambeth.

The many friends of Arthur  
Badland are happy to learn that  
he is now improved in health and  
is able to be out and around  
again.

Thos. Scotland, who has been  
serving as a wireless operator in  
the American marine service, is  
home for a few days.

It is with regret that the com-  
munity learns of the removal of  
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crandell. Dur-  
ing their long stay here Mr. and  
Mrs. Crandell have made many  
friends. The young people will  
be especially missed. Friends  
wish them every success in their  
new sphere of activity at Cooks-  
ville.

## Vivian

The Young People's meeting,  
held last Wednesday evening,  
was well attended. Miss Arlene  
Grose was in charge and a good  
program was provided. Two  
ladies from Toronto sang and  
Gurfield Brown delivered the  
message. Prayer was offered by  
John Mitchell and Mr. Rowan.

The prayer meeting on Friday  
evening was also well attended,  
although the roads were muddy.

The cars of Mr. Mitchell and Mr.  
Snalley, on their way to the  
meeting, got stuck in the mud  
for two hours.

Friends in this community are  
sorry to know that Mr. Marshall

## HOT CROSS BUNS

## By GOLDEN GLOW

Isn't it queer how a few words  
like "hot cross buns" can take  
you back, with one jump, to your  
childhood, and in memory you  
taste again the sugary, spicy  
buns the bakers used to make  
and deliver piping hot, in time  
for breakfast. Never have buns  
tasted so good as those! We  
know, of course, that there is a  
glamor about things we used to  
like when we were young—  
things that we were fond of, like  
hot cross buns, barley sugar-  
sticks, maple syrup and jack-wax  
and a score of other things (in-  
cluding green apples), but they  
really are extra good!

Yes, hot cross buns mean Good  
Friday, just as "Pancake Tues-  
day" signifies "Shrove Tuesday,"  
the day before "Ash Wednesday,"  
the first day of Lent, and the  
"Simnel cake" tells us it was the  
symbol of "Refreshment Sunday" or  
"Mothering Sunday," when  
the young people, who were out  
to service in England in the old  
days, were all permitted to spend  
the day at home with their  
mothers.

Speaking of the "Simnel cake,"  
it was, I fancy, a rich fruit cake,  
but colored a deep yellow with  
saffron, which distinguished it  
from an ordinary cake. It also  
signified mid-Lent, just as the  
hot cross buns mean Good Fri-  
day.

Some people may think it odd  
that such ordinary, everyday  
things should mark our impor-  
tant religious seasons, and yet  
they serve to mark the day in a  
very special way, and thus they  
make such a deep impression on  
our childish imaginations that  
they never leave us, as long as  
we live!

But the Easter lily will be  
uppermost in all our minds this  
coming Sunday, and the prover-  
bial "Easter bonnet" is only the  
feminine way of making every-  
thing as beautiful as possible for  
this the most important festival  
in the church's year.

## Hope

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Rolling  
and Betty, Mount Albert, were  
Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs.  
S. Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Rolling,  
Aurora, visited the latter's par-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ed-  
wards, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Breen  
visited their daughter in Toronto  
on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, Tor-  
onto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lorne  
Ganton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Boyd and Mr.  
and Mrs. S. Pegg attended the  
Veterans' euchre in Newmarket  
on Friday evening. Mr. Boyd  
being the lucky



### MOUNT ALBERT L.O.L. LODGE GIVES BANQUET FOR I.O.O.F.

The April meeting of the Women's Institute will be held on Thursday afternoon, April 9, at the home of Mrs. W. R. Steeper, with Mrs. Oliver and

Mrs. W. Lunau as hostesses. A paper on "Birds of our Farms and Gardens" will be given by Miss B. Harman, and current events of the recent nutrition course will be given by Mrs. M. Stokes. The roll-call will be "Pay your fee for next year." All ladies are welcome. The members of the L.O.L. lodge entertained the members

of the I.O.O.F. and their wives on Friday evening at the Masonic hall at a nice banquet and after enjoying a lovely supper a program was given in which the following took part: speakers, Lorne Lee of Aurora, county master of the L.O.L., and Rev. R. V. Wilson; vocal music, Mrs. Stiver, Mrs. Couper, Mrs. Allison, and Guy Rutledge; instrumental music, Miss Hall of Sharon; and several elocution numbers, John Walker. It was all heartily enjoyed and those who were responsible for the evening deserve credit for the fine program they gave their guests.

Miss Viola Porter has returned home after a visit at the home of friends at her home town of Welland.

Mrs. C. E. Rowan has recently returned after an extended visit at the homes of relatives in Ottawa, Toronto and Hamilton.

Capt. W. L. Carruthers, M.O., is home on leave after returning from a trip across to Great Britain.

The Misses Florence and Gladys Brooks have opened up their home again for the summer. They close it up for the winter.

Col. White of Pasadena, Cal., was a guest on Saturday for a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Blyth.

Mrs. J. Magillivray and Marta, of Toronto, were guests of Mrs. W. L. Carruthers for several days last week.

Mrs. Stonehouse has returned home after assisting her sister, Mrs. J. Case, for some weeks in caring for Mr. Case, who is improving in health and able to walk now, after a serious illness.

A public meeting to decide on a program for sports day, which will be on Saturday, June 6, this year, will be held in the town hall on Monday evening, April 6, at 8 o'clock. Everyone is welcome to attend and come with suggestions and new ideas as to what he or she would like to have.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Stevens have moved to the home of Mrs. Stevens' uncle, Stanley Risenbrough. Mr. and Mrs. Stevens came from Mount Pleasant.

Dr. and Mrs. Lorne Stokes and John D. Stokes, of Hanover, made a short visit this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stokes.

There is still time to hand in horticultural options, but everyone is urged to do so at once and to join up and help along this worth-while work in keeping the town looking nice. It all makes one feel better, even if there is a lot of trouble in the world.

Pilot-Officer Don Stewart is home on furlough. He spent the weekend at Napanee with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wagg.

The war emergency and first-aid course held last Wednesday evening had as the guest speaker Dr. G. E. Case of Newmarket, who had as his subject, "Wounds," and everyone was much wiser when they heard how to treat wounds of all kinds. Mrs. G. W. E. Macpherson gave a demonstration of bandaging, assisted by Mrs. Butler and Mrs. Rate.

Next Wednesday Dr. L. W. Dales of Newmarket will speak on "Burns."

An auction sale is being held

in the community hall at Mount Albert for the benefit of the Red Cross on Tuesday, April 14, at 2 p.m.

Several items have already been promised, including a water tank suitable for farm buildings, an incubator, seed grain, potatoes, implements, skates and toys. Anyone who has anything to give is asked to please get in touch with Mr. Leadbetter, who will arrange to have it picked up.

### MOUNT ALBERT Mock Trial Held At Young People's Meeting

A good crowd was at the Young People's meeting on Monday evening. Viola Oldham and Velma Thompson took charge of the meeting. Rev. R. V. Wilson and Miss Viola Porter sang a duet, "Nailed to the Cross." Miss Beth Theaker favored the group with a piano solo. Miss Viola Porter capably took the topic, her subject being "Service." Roy Stewart took charge of the recreation by having a mock trial. Several members of the Y.M.C.B.C. took part and a number of young people were called to the chair for breach of promise, misconduct, etc. The meeting closed with the national anthem.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Sinclair and Miss Ione Sinclair, R.N., motored to Barrie on Monday evening, where they were entertained by the staff of the Royal Victoria hospital. During the evening Miss Sinclair was presented with a beautiful electric floor lamp as a wedding gift on the eve of her marriage.

A miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs. Robt. E. Wilson on Saturday evening for Miss Verna Harrison, who is being married quietly this week. She received many useful and pretty gifts.

Mrs. Robt. Davis is spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Jarvis, at Lansing.

Roy Watts moved on Monday to the farm he has rented on the fourth concession, near Queensville.

Fred Watts has moved into his new home on King St., having given up farming.

Donald Stiver has moved to the farm recently vacated by Fred Watts.

Mr. and Mrs. Baine, Betty and Lorraine, of Woodstock, spent the weekend with Mrs. Baine's sister, Mrs. W. Draper.

Austin Boden is able to be up and around and has returned home after spending some months in hospital with an injured back.

### Schomberg

Misses Metcalfe and Hamilton spent the weekend in Toronto. Mrs. Wm. Burling is ill.

Mrs. H. Aitchison and Miss Cora Aitchison were in Toronto on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carr of Toronto spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Carr.

Mrs. W. L. McGowan and Miss Ruth Allison were guests of Mrs. H. Wood last Thursday.

Mrs. Russell of Aurora is visiting her son, Mr. H. Russell, for a few days.

The junior girls' Sunday-school class presented their teacher, Mrs. B. Lister, with a Bible on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cole of Woodbridge and Mrs. Fizzell of Toronto visited Mr. and Mrs. S. McDevitt on Sunday.

Sgt. John Perry of Ancaster has been home on two weeks' leave.

Miss Muriel Wood spent Sunday evening with Miss D. McKinley.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Edwards were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Davis.

Mr. Harold Dixon of Toronto was home for the weekend.

### Poplar Bank

Mrs. R. Belfry spent Sunday in Sharon, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Evans.

Mrs. T. C. Wray spent a couple of days last week visiting her daughter, Mrs. James M. Faris.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Tate of Toronto visited Mr. and Mrs. G. Blanchard on Sunday.

Lieut. and Mrs. Roy Bowerman of Weybourne, Sask., Miss Evelyn Vanderploeg and Master David Pease of Chicago visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dunham.

### QUEENSVILLE Euchre Raises Over \$70 For War Work

The euchre held in the school last week and sponsored by the ladies' euchre club was well attended. The draw was made for the pansy quilt and the lucky winner was Mrs. E. Cole of Aurora.

Other prize-winners were: lucky draw, Miss Joyce Wright, Queensville; ladies' first, Miss Nora Shaw, Sharon; ladies' second, Mrs. Cecil Pinder, Sharon; gentlemen's first, Angus Smith, Queensville; gentlemen's second, Thos. Miller, Queensville; low count, Walter Rose, Ravenshoe; four-ace hand, Levi Weddel, Sharon; lucky tea-cup, Mrs. Cecil Pinder, Sharon.

The ladies were grateful to all those who donated prizes and the lunch. Nearly \$73 was realized and will be divided between the Red Cross and the British War Victims Fund.

A special Easter church service will be held on Sunday in Queensville United church at 11 a.m. D.S.T. Rev. Hugh Shannon is preparing an Easter message and the choir will render special music. The time is changed to 11 o'clock.

A big crowd attended the moving pictures and lecture by Major Watson in Queensville on Tuesday evening of last week. Major Watson told in an impressive manner the great work of the Red Cross. From the silver collection taken Queensville Red Cross have nearly \$17 as a result of this fine evening. Everyone who attended acquired a broader understanding of the work of the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Mills and Miss Lena Burkholder of Toronto visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dew on Sunday.

Mr. Clifford Burkholder of Collingwood is visiting his brother, Mr. W. A. Burkholder.

Miss Mary Marsh of Toronto is spending the Easter holidays with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Aylward.

Mr. Ted Donnell of Welland spent the weekend at the Kavanagh home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Rowe and family spent Sunday visiting in Barrie.

Mrs. Walter Watson is visiting her son, Mr. Arthur Watson, of Toronto.

### Sharon

There will be a special Easter service at Sharon United church on Sunday at 8 p.m., D.S.T. There will also be special music, consisting of a trio and soloists. Sunday-school will be held at 10.30 a.m.

The war emergencies class will be held on Tuesday at Sharon hall at 8 p.m. The lecture will be on surgical shock and will be given by Dr. L. W. Dales.

A Good Friday service will be held in St. James' church at 10 a.m. The service will be in the charge of Rev. A. J. Forte.

On Easter Day the St. James' Sunday-school children will meet with their parents at 3.15 p.m. Please note change of the hour. There will be a celebration of Holy Communion, with a special Easter message. The service will be in the charge of Mr. Forte.

### MARRIAGE CAN MEAN

(Continued from Page 1) may result in a marriage which might prove unsatisfactory because the partners' choice of each other was, in both cases, made with restricted knowledge of the other sex. "Therefore, it is much wiser to go out with a number of boys or girls so that one's perspective is widened and the weaknesses and good points in each can be noted."

"Practically every normal adult has more or less done some petting," Dr. Campbell states. "Some call it light and heavy petting." She points out that this may range from holding hands or a single good-night kiss to extreme intimacies.

She points out as a mere means to personal satisfaction of a temporary nature it can be cheapened but with a higher ideal, shared by both, it can be a thing of lasting beauty.

The length of engagement is a point that has caused a great deal of debate in the past. Professor Burgess found that the longer the prospective married couples had known each other, the more likely is their marriage to be successful. On the other hand Dr. L. M. Terman, professor of psychology at Leland Stanford University, found that there was an almost negative relationship between the length of acquaintance and marital happiness.

Dr. Campbell says that one's conduct during such a period is more important. "You must examine your ability to function with the maximum personal integrity and your decision will either help or hinder your future marital relationship." There can be no arbitrary pronouncement "do this or do that."

As to the wedding ceremony itself Dr. Campbell simply says: "Whether the wedding takes

place in the registry office or in the church with the choir in attendance makes little difference so long as one's parents or friends know all about it and still better are present.

For this marriage to be successful, she maintains there must be mutual love, respect, trust and faith between the bride and groom. On these four can be built a future of great promise.

It may be for economic reasons that the wife has decided to continue her work after marriage, or because she feels she has spent a long time in special training and may contribute more to the world, as well as her family by continuing in her special field. "In such cases the division of labor is never equal, even though the husband helps in many ways."

To make the marriage successful, the wife as well as the husband must assume responsibility in all financial matters. Neither must think that his opinion is better than the other's. The husband and wife should draw up a budget, "neither thinking that his expenditure is more important than the other's."

"The physical side of life must not be neglected. You should be just as careful after marriage as during courtship for an attractive appearance is

usually the sign of a tidy mind," she asserts. To be attractive and well-dressed does not mean the expenditure of large sums of money, but the careful expenditure of the amount allowed for this item on the budget. An attractive appearance bolsters the confidence and creates respect.

Dr. Campbell says there should be completeness of self-giving and accepting. "Now it is only through giving that we reap peace and contentment and due to much selfishness that may come into the home, I would suggest that a part of the earnings be given to the church and charity. The couples who attend church regularly and have a deep and loving respect for God and all good things will be able to find a source of comfort at times of sorrow and hardship."

(This article is based on a lecture by Dr. Campbell before a study group meeting in the Y.M.C.A., London, Ont.)

### Holland Landing

A service will be held in Christ church on Good Friday at 11.15 a.m. The service will be in the charge of Rev. A. J. Forte. On Easter Sunday the service will

be held at 2 p.m. There will be a celebration of Holy Communion. The Easter message will be given by Mr. Forte.

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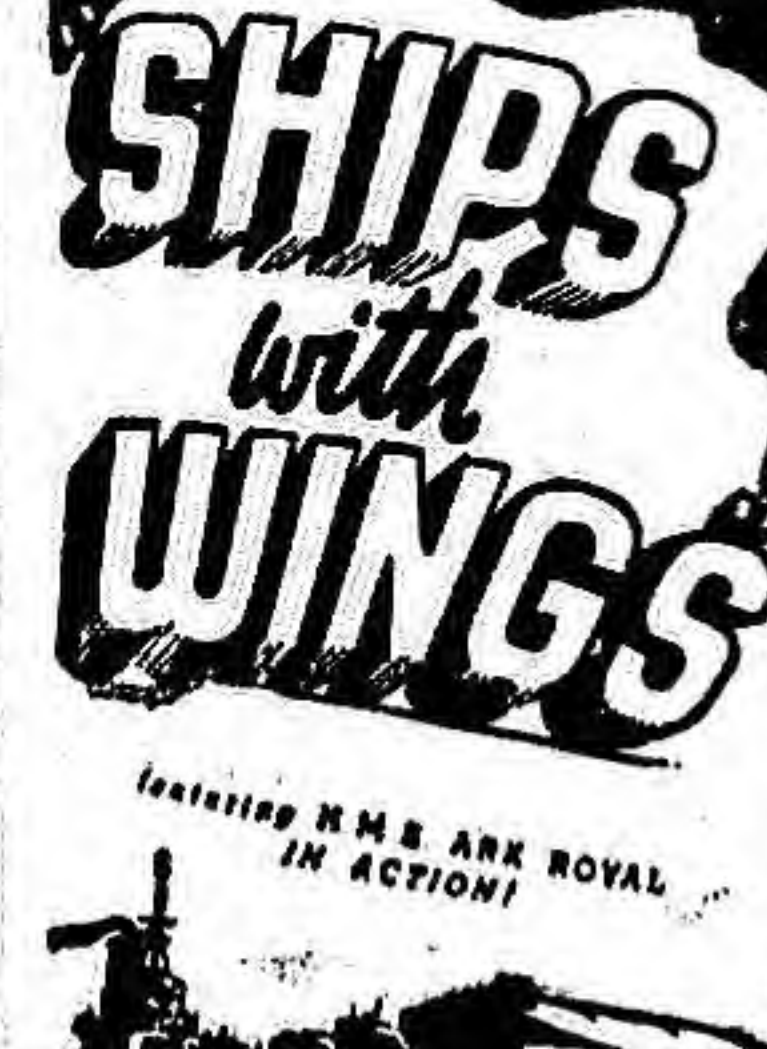
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WOMEN'S WALTZ HONEYMOON!

SHIPS with WINGS



Exciting N.M.S. Ark Royal in Action!

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SWING ON DOWN THIS

RHYTHM ROAD!



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Poplar Bank

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